WITHOUT MUSIC, LIFE WOULD BE A MISTAKE—F. Nietzsche

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West Paris to decide on moratorium, backhoe and election proceedures

A subdivision moratorium, backhoe purchase and changes in the way town officials are elected are expected to be the major topics of debate at West Paris' annual Town Meeting, to be held Tuesday evening, March 1, at 7 p.m.

The one-year subdivison moratorium has been proposed by the town's selectmen, who said they need the time to review and update the growth-regulating ordinances of the town.

Only a dozen townspeople turned out last night (Tuesday) for a public hearing—held at the town's fire station—on the proposed moratorium. No one spoke against the measure, as discussion ranged over a variety of other past, present and anticipated planning problems.

The proposed purchase of a backhoe/loader for the town represents the largest single increase in the proposed budget for 1988. The warrent item involved authorizes the selectmen to spend up to $38,000 for the purchase.

Related articles authorize the selectmen to raise and appropriate $10,000 this year to be put toward the purchase of the backhoe and to borrow the balance.

The machine is needed primarily for ditching work along the town's roads, Road Commissioner Robert Coffin said. The town's Budget Committee and the selectmen have both recommended the purchase and financing plan.

Voters will also be asked if they wish to change the way town officials are elected. Currently the selectmen, road commissioner and school director are nominated and voted on at the town meeting itself, as is the combined position of treasurer/clerk/tax collector/registrar of voters/bookkeeper.

Under the proposed change, these posi-

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Trees to beautify Main Street if Town Meeting OKs budget

The Bethel Board of Selectmen, acting on the suggestion of the newly appointed Beautification Advisory Committee, added $3,575 to next fiscal year's budget proposal for trees to beautify Main Street.

The 13 trees, which cost $275 each, would be planted between the Casco Bank and the IGA, if Town Meeting approves the expenditure.

"I think this would zip things up real good [on Main Street]," said committee member Fred Burk. Member Tom Wheeler agreed. "We could get Main Street looking good in a hurry," he said.

The committee's recommendation received unanimous support from the Board of Selectmen. "I think it would dress up the town," said Selectman Arthur Gilbert. And board chairman Arlan Jodrey said, "I, for one, really support it."

The vote to include the item in the proposed budget was 4-0. (Selectman Pat Dooen was absent.)

The committee actually would have liked to plant a total of 73 trees on Main Street. But, the members said in a letter to the selectmen, "Since we are a realistic committee, we are requesting funds for only 13 trees." However, the committee members said, they would seek private donations to further their efforts to plant more trees downtown.

The trees to be planted are sterile pear trees, with a trunk diameter of about 2½ inches and a height that will keep them below the wires. Committee member Burk, who operates a tree service, said he calls the trees "lollypops" because they present a round cluster of white blooms in spring. "They're beautiful when they're in bloom," he said. "It's just a mass of white."

Mr. Burk said they're not only pretty but relatively inexpensive. "We'd get a lot of bang for the buck."

In other matters at last week's selectmen's meeting, which was held on Tuesday night because of the holiday Monday, the board approved new hourly rates for firefighters. The new rates—which will become effective in the fiscal year beginning July 1—are $6 an hour for firefighters called out on in-town fires and $8 an hour for out-of-town fires. The rates had been $4 and $6 respectively. When they are engaged in fighting woods fires, firefighters will be paid at the rate of $6 an hour.

The salaries for the officers will be as follows in the coming fiscal year: $1,000 a year for the chief; $500 a year for the two assistant chiefs; and $200 for the secretary.

The selectmen also approved a new

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DON CHRETIEN WORKS ON A CHAIR CANING PROJECT in an Adult Ed course taught by Hans Paulsen. *(Photo by Jeanne Boelsma)*

Massachusetts man wins grand prize in Rotary's Spanish-Exchange raffle

Roger Johnson, of Baldwinville, Mass., won the grand prize in the Bethel Rotary Club's raffle to benefit the Spanish Youth Exchange.

In a drawing held Saturday at the Sunday River Inn, Johnson won two tickets for an all-expense-paid trip for two to Disney World, plus $500 in spending money. Second prize, a quilt handmade by Rose Sumner, was won by Abram Feldman, 12, of Wakefield, R.I., and third prize, a cord of kiln dried firewood donated by Bethel Furniture Stock was won by Louis Hill, of Rumford.

The grand prize winner purchased his winning ticket at a furniture-manufacturing trade show in Boston. Bethel Furniture Stock owner Leon Favreau—who was an exhibitor at the show—sold him the winning ticket. The second prize winner purchased his ticket at Sunday River Cross-Country Ski Center, while the third prize winner purchased his ticket at Mt. Abram Ski Slopes.

Grand prize winner Johnson could not believe his good luck when called and told he had won the big prize. He said he had never won anything in his life.

Steve Wight, one of the raffle organizers, said the raffle raised more than $3,000 for the youth exchange program. About 5,000 raffle tickets were sold.

Shakespearean actors to visit in local schools, perform before public

This week Telstar and Gould will host two actors from New York City—Mark Stevenson and Arlene Stern. They will present a program called "Shedding Light on Shakespeare" (spelling it as The Bard himself did).

The play is a series of excerpts from "Macbeth," "Romeo and Juliet," and "Hamlet." It will be performed at Telstar on Wednesday, Feb. 24, during the class day.

There will be a public performance Thursday, Feb. 25, at Gould, at 7:30 p.m. in Bingham Auditorium. Admission is free.

In addition to the two performances, the actors will spend time in English classes at both schools.

This visit was arranged by the Mahoosuc Arts Council and Gould Academy and was funded partially by the Maine Arts Commission through LPL & APL.

Board approves administrative salary increases

The SAD #44 Board of Directors Monday night approved administrative salary increases ranging from 3.9 to 27.5 percent.

The increases, which had been proposed by the board's negotiations committee, passed easily, with only a scattering of "opposed" votes.

Cheryl Eliot, of Bethel, voted most consistently against the increases. She said after the meeting she thought most of the individuals involved were doing excellent work, but she believed the percentage increases involved were out of line with the local economy.

Other board members expressed similar concerns.

"We are still in a position of paying higher wages and providing so-called raises while people out in the real world earn substantially less," said Stan Howe, of Bethel.

"I think we are moving in the wrong direction, and I want to go on record for making that comment," Dr. Howe said. "I think that we're living in a dream world giving raises of upwards of 10 to 20 percent."

In subsequent voting, however, Dr. Howe either abstained or voted for the individual increases.

"I supported them for various reasons, but without much enthusiasm," he said afterwards.

The largest increase was for Adult and Community Education Director Catherine Newell. Mrs. Newell's current salary of $20,400 (for a 10-month workyear) will be raised to $26,000.

District Administrative Assistant Bruce Powell received the smallest percentage increase, to $30,000 from $28,875, but his vacation allotment was increased from to 30 days a year (from 15) in lieu of a higher salary boost.

Superintendent Dewaine Craig said Mr. Powell had sought the increased vacation time rather than a larger salary hike in order to be able to devote more time to an outside business.

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W'stock budget proposal up 25 percent over 1987

The Woodstock Board of Selectmen has recommended the town raise $383,000 for its 1988 budget.

Last year voters approved a budget of $270,317 at annual Town Meeting and added $35,000 at a later special Town Meeting, for a total figure of $305,317. The budget recommended this year by the selectmen represents a 25 percent increase over that figure.

On the other hand, the town's Budget Committee has recommended the town raise just $367,080 for 1988, or a 20 percent increase over the past year.

According to Town Manager Kathleen Mersereau, the largest increases in the proposed budget are in the amounts allocated for roads, insurance and solid waste disposal.

Last year the town allocated $125,000 for roads and spent $134,323 (the overrun being caused by the cost of repair work following the spring flood).

This year the selectmen have recommended $153,363 for summer and winter roads, including tar and improvements on Rumford Avenue. The Rumford Avenue work is budgeted at $35,363.

The Budget Committee recommended a figure of $143,363, the $10,000 reduction coming from the winter roads account.

The town's liability insurance for the coming year is budgeted at $14,106, up approximately $5,000 from the comparable 1987 figure.

Solid waste disposal for 1988 is budgeted at $33,000, an increase of $3,000. The increase is necessary to cover the cost of anticipated increases in tipping fees and hauling charges, Mrs. Mersereau said.

The selectmen's total includes a request from the town's Recreation Committee for $8,000 to be used to build a fence around the town ballfield. The $8,000 figure represents half the total cost of the proposed two-year project. The Budget Committee voted against it.

Not included in either proposed budget is a request from the Planning Board for $1,200 to pay for a clerk to take minutes at board meetings and handle paperwork.

This request came in after the Budget

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GOP caucuses begin Wednesday

Presidential preference caucuses of the state's Republicans will be held this week.

Locally, the earliest one—of those submitted for publication—will be tonight (Wednesday), in West Paris. It will be held in the Oxford Bank building, at 7 p.m.

Newry and East Stoneham Republicans will caucus on Friday in their respective towns. In Newry the caucus will be at the municipal building, at 7:30 p.m. In East Stoneham the caucus will be at the home of Jean MacKenzie, on Rte. 5, at 7 p.m. For additional information, contact Ralph Brown, chairman of the Republican town committee, at 928-2324, or 928-2196.

The Bethel Republican caucus will be Sunday, Feb. 28, at the Casco Northern Bank, at 4 p.m. In addition to indicating preferences for a presidential candidate, the members of the caucus will elect town and county party respresentatives. Mike Brown is the current Bethel town committee chairman. Sam Timberlake and Sumner Burgess, as well as State Committeewoman Barbara D. Brown, are the current representatives to the county committee.

Ballot clerks will also be nominated at the caucus, and those interested should attend, the organizers said. A draft of the 1988 Republican platform will also be presented for discussion.

Any resident who wishes to register to vote or enroll as a Republican may do so at the caucus or can do so at the Bethel Town Office.

In Hanover, the Republican caucus will also be Sunday, at 4 p.m., at the

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Democrats caucus Sunday, Feb. 28th

Maine Democrats will assemble this Sunday, Feb. 28, for presidential preference caucuses.

Locally, the caucuses that have been scheduled in time for publication are as follows:

Albany: at Telstar Regional High School, 3 p.m. Mary and Don Isham are the contact persons. David Salway is the registrar of voters for Albany. He may be contacted at 824-2178 or 824-2305 to register new voters or enroll party members.

Bethel: at Telstar Regional High School, 3 p.m. Paul McGuire and Cathy Newell are the contact persons.

Gilead: at Telstar Regional High School, 3 p.m. Mildred McLain is the registrar of voters in Gilead and can register new voters or enroll voters as a member of a political party.

Newry: at Telstar Regional High School, 3 p.m. Rocky Graham is the contact person.

Woodstock: at the Woodstock Fire Station, 2 p.m.

The caucuses are open to all registered Democrats and all independents who may wish to register as Democrats in order to take part in the presidential preference selection. The actual balloting for presidential preference at the caucuses being held at Telstar will begin at 3:30 p.m.

HELPING MOTHER NATURE—Sunday River Ski Resort's snowmaking guns lay a cover of manmade powder over lower Cascades. The skiway's 18-person snowmaking crew has already spread more than 425,000 tons of snow this season—a record for the mountain. Last year the skiway stopped snowmaking in February. But this year's plans call for the guns to stay in operation into March, with crews working around-the-clock when the temperature falls below 28 degrees. *(Photo by Michael Daniels)*

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Opinions

Knee-jerk liberals in trouble

Massachusetts Governor Michael Dukakis—currently the frontrunner among Democratic presidential candidates—was unwise to blindly offer his support to the striking paperworkers in Jay.

Consider that the average hourly earnings of paperworkers in Maine rose from $12.93 a year ago to $14.73 this fall—according to the Maine Department of Labor. No other trade even came close. In second place for top hourly wage were metalworkers, whose wages were $9.71 an hour, up from $8.61 a year earlier.

While Democrats have long been known as the party of labor, there are an increasing number of Democrats who view the excesses of big labor the same as the excesses of big business. Automatically siding with organized labor is a policy that will not win votes for a candidate. This analysis is supported by the fact that the Democrat-controlled state Legislature has not been able to muster sufficient votes to force through any of its pro-union legislation over the governor's vetoes.

Now the Democrats are urging another increase in the minimum wage, claiming that up to 70,000 Maine workers are working at minimum wage and that it is impossible to live a decent existence if one works 40 hours a week at the current minimum wage of $3.65.

What the Democrats fail to state is how many—if any—Maine workers are working full-time at minimum wage and without tips.

Keeping the minimum wage affordable for employers means more jobs for unskilled and inexperienced workers just coming into the workforce. Boosting the minimum wage—a move favored by unions—means fewer jobs as employers will seek increased automation at the expense of increased employement.

Candidate Dukakis, and the Democrats in the state Legislature, must realize that what's good for the unions is not necessarily what's good for the working population at large. bfw

Democracy starts here

Democracy is often confused with voting. Nothing could be further from fact. So-called "people's republics" have elections but they don't have democracy—which, by definition, is rule by the people.

This means the people have the power to select those who will govern in their stead. And the selection process starts here, in the Bethel area, this weekend. Both Democrats and Republicans will be holding town caucuses to choose delegates to their respective state conventions. Those delegates selected will represent the wishes of those attending the caucuses. Therefore, if you want a chance to vote for Bush, or Simon, or whomever in November, you'd best try to make sure your man gets on the ballot by sending delegates to vote for him in the state convention.

If the candidate you favor isn't on the ballot in November, will it be because you didn't attend the party caucus this weekend? Think about it. bfw

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

I wish to announce my candidacy for re-election to Town Clerk, Tax Collector and Treasurer for the Town of West Paris. I have served in these offices since 1978 and wish to continue the same service in the next important years.

I am exploring increasing services to the citizens, but only if it can be done within our present budget and [I] have the approval of the Selectmen.

I have worked closely with the past Selectmen and with the present officers. I act as a go-between, handling phone calls, messages and correspondence with the various government agencies when the Selectmen cannot be in the office.

Working with our program consultant, Richard Perham, our real estate taxes are on our own computer, which was a premium given to the Town on a 10-year financial investment. With the purchase of a wide-carriage printer, selling the unusable one, we are ready to produce the tax bills and all the other products necessary to do our taxes "in-house," thereby saving the town about $1,000 a year.

Every cent of funds not necessary to the monthly bills of the Town has been invested in CDs and money market accounts, earning interest monies that almost equal my salary.

Since 1980, I and my deputies have printed and bound the Town Report. This year the road crew, with permission from their boss, did a great deal of the collating, printing and binding, saving the hiring of extra help.

The new entrance and office section of the municipal building has received many favorable comments from the citizens. Dan Littlehale of the road crew has been most helpful building, painting and being a general handyman. A gift of a computer desk, by the Abbott family, has given a professional look to the office. The new office is warmer, handier to all the equipment I work with, and a nice place to work in.

I started these projects and would like to continue to try for the betterment of all of the Town with as little expense as possible.

I feel I have the knowledge and experience needed to continue to aid the residents of West Paris as well as to be of service to the other departments and the Selectmen. I would appreciate [the support of West Paris voters] at Town Meeting, Tuesday evening, at 7 p.m., on the first day of March.

Gwen Ellingwood

To the Editor:

I write you, with deep concerns, and suspicions about our doubtful free press, and freedom of speach in general. I write from a vantage point of one discriminated against unjustly, suppressed and oppressed, and not allowed to freely state the truth. I wonder why.

The state prosecution, in compliance with the judiciary system, can legally falsify affidavits, and promote bias and malice in their disinformation campaign to prejudice the public, and by doing so justify their cause.

I, on the other side, knowingly innocent, and falsely charged, am discriminated against with every attempt to tell the truth, and to honor my constitutional rights. This very letter will be read by the state, after sealed and stamped in my cell, if in fact you are permitted to receive it at all. I see now how an independant national council arrived at the conclusion that 60 percent of our citizens in prison were in fact not guilty of the accused crime and [were] there only to perpetuate the illusion of justice being done. It is indeed incredible, unbelievable, horrifying and real. I see and learn more about this travesty with each day, and it saddens me deeply, knowing no one really cares.

Anyone, man or woman, who knows me intimately, knows I am incapable of doing that [of] which I am accused. I cried for two days when I had to dispatch my diseased dog, Mutley. I construct, not destruct; and give, not take.

Al H. Saunders
South Paris

To the Editor:

In response to Stephen Wight's letter [Citizen, Feb. 10] concerning the new video store on "the strip" in Mayville. Although I realize that zoning is the issue, I must say that that was a nice way to welcome a new business to the area. Is the strip reserved for motels and bed & breakfasts only? I only hope that [Mr. Wight] was given a warmer welcome when [he] arrived in 1971.

Brent Frechette
Bethel

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Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

I have read with interest and some dismay the recent letters to the editor regarding the changing face of Bethel due to the enlargement of local ski areas and the resulting increase in the number of skiers to the area. As I write this letter I am sure that the February school vacation and great conditions on the slopes are causing a repetition of the crowds seen on Christmas and New Year weekends this year.

As a resident of greater Boston who has recently purchased a condominium at Sunday River, I would simply like to respond to these letters with my own point of view.

There are three reasons why my wife and I decided to buy property here. First, Sunday River is an excellent place to ski. This is also true of Mt. Abram. For those of us who have tried other parts of New England, this is about as near to skier's heaven as we are apt to get.

Second, skiing is a great family sport. While it's a little trite to say that families who ski together stay together, it has worked for our family, and others like ours, and in today's world, families need all the togetherness they can find. We intend to use Sunday River and environs as a base for family and friends into the foreseeable future.

Last, and equally important, we came to the Bethel area because of the character of the people who live here. Whether it has been the attendant at the Mobil station, the housekeeping supervisor for our condominium, the clerk at Brooks Bros. or many, many others, we have always found the people of Bethel and the area to be unfailingly kind, friendly, and with a wonderful sense of humor.

The last thing I would want to see is a Bethel and its citizens changed by alien invaders into something different than it and they have always been.

Of course, all skiers don't come in friendly family clusters. Some can be very rude and demanding. But I really believe that this type is a distinct minority.

Most skiers we have known are physically active, sociable and congenial people who like the challenge and the beauty of a wonderful outdoor sport, whether it be cross-country or downhill, and who leave their big-city stresses at home where they belong.

I would like to urge the people of Bethel to be patient with us newcomers. We love Bethel and don't want to change a thing. We will do our best to discourage the occassional rowdy in the bunch. And, of course, there is always another season just around the corner, where all those fullyladen Jeep Cherokees and Honda Accords will fade away like the snow—at least until next year!

Holden MacDonald

To the Editor:

This is in regards to the holiday spirit that the Oxford County jail has, which is none. I would like it known to the public that the persons that are in jail for some reason or another are human and have rights also. I would also like the inmates that are in Cell Block A to know that they were sent homemade chocolates on the 13th and a heart-shaped cake on the 14th, which are still in the jailer's office and will probably never be seen. So I would like the inmates to know that they were thought of but nothing can be done to the great laws that we have.

Some of the little things that are done there are really so stupid and uncalled for. They know who I am and they know where I live and they also know where to find me if anything is wrong with anything that I bring in for these poor forgotten inmates. They also know that they can sample anything and everything that I bring down on these special days that are supposed to be holidays and are enjoyed by all, not just certain people.

They at the jailhouse are really not concerned about the health or well-being of these inmates but do want to punish and take away every little thing that could make such a big difference to these inmates. And if anyone out there stops and thinks about what I am saying, I don't think you would think it to be unfair for these inmates [that] they would allow such treats on holidays and would treat them like human beings and would fix the things that should be fixed for the safety of all concerned.

Every time I write something for the paper they punish these inmates somehow and it is not fair. I am the one doing the writing, not the inmates. See I was allowed to bring a cake down for a birthday, banana bread for Thanksgiving, and a lot of different pastries for Christmas. And now that I have put a few things in the paper they won't let them have a cake or chocolates to share. I ask you, what harm can it do?

Rita M. Saunders
Locke Mills

To the Editor:

The new Shade Tree and Beautification Advisory Committee has studied the need for trees in the Greater Bethel Area. After deliberation, Main Street was determined to be our first priority.

Many people remember the old elms in Bethel. We would like to see a comprehensive plan that would recreate, as much as possible, the atmosphere of "Old Bethel". Our committee developed a plan for Main Street that we would like to see take place over a period of time. We requested a budget from the Selectmen of $3,575 for planting thirteen trees between the Casco Bank and the IGA, the area where there aren't any trees at present.

To continue planting for Main Street and other areas, we are seeking donations for a planting fund that will further our comprehensive plan.

We are seeking donations from anyone who would like to have a street tree planted in front of their property.

Please call anyone on the committee for further information.

Linda Chandler, 824-2534
Carol Nielson, 824-2465
Fred Burk, 824-2886
Eric Schwarz, 875-5202
Tom Wheeler, 824-2659

To the Editor:

So much for the applause. Last week I wrote addressing the need for a sign ordinance in Bethel, Newry and surrounding towns. I used the new video store in Mayville as an example of a store that had used prudence in selecting a sign that did not unreasonably alter the character of the area. I eat my words. Since last week, the video management has draped their building with new identity—a large orange banner proclaiming its wares. Is that so terrible? Not by itself; but it surely is out of character on a building in Mayville.

I pick on the video store only because it is the latest example of how the face of our town is changing. If Newry and Bethel are to meet the goals set forth in their comprehensive plans, of preserving the ambience of a small, quaint, New England town, they will have to move quickly to enact ordinances to regulate the insidious creep of development. A sign ordinance would be a large step forward.

David Walker

To the Editor:

The Telstar Student Body would sincerely like to thank Sunday River Skiway for having a free ski/half price rental day on January 22, 1988, which was a school workshop day. It was enjoyed and appreciated by many.

Telstar High School Student Council

OXFORD POMONA GRANGE

Oxford Pomona Grange #2 held C.W.A. night at Oxford Grange #46 with 66 in attendance. A bountiful supper preceded the meeting.

Serving as officers were M., Roberta Meserve, Sabbathday Lake; O., Clara Gartley, Pine Tree; Lec. Gail Butterfield, Lakeside; Steward, Aldine Meserve, Sabbathday Lake; A.S., Sue Verrill, Excelsior; L.A.S., Linda Sherman, Wales; Chap., Viola Lothrop, Excelsior; T., Elizabeth Bragg, West Paris; Sec., Marjorice Greenwood, West Minot; GK., Vera Timberlake, Turner; C., Ruby Whitney, Naples; P., Lillian Edwards, Excelsior; F., Shirley Foster, Oxford; Exec. Com., Bertha Benoit, West Paris; Marjorie Coleman and Myrtle Bisbee, Oxford; C.W.A., Kitty Davis, Hazal Conant and Clara Soucy, Oxford and pianist, Helen Clifford, Minot Center.

Honored guests escorted to the master's station were Pamela Buckley, State Grange C.W.A. member and Hugh Buckley of the State Youth Committee. Also recognized were Ruby Whitney, State C.W.A. member, Gordon and Clara Gartley, chief deputies, Wayne and Linda Sherman and Lewis and Myrtle Bisbee, subordinate deputies, Sue Verrill and Gail Butterfield, State Lecturer's committee, Roberta Meserve, junior committee, and Hazel Conant, treasurer of the Maine State Grange.

A Program planned by C.W.A. Chairman Lil Swallow was presented.

The Address of Welcome was given by Myrtle Bisbee, M. of Oxford Grange. Response was given by Lettie Brooks of Franklin Grange. Piano solos were played by Mike Bilodeau, a student of the Elm Street School, Mechanic Falls.

A reading on the value of oatmeal in the diet was given by Gail Butterfield.

Bertha Benoit sang a solo accompanied by Dot Canwell on the piano.

A Chinese auction was won by Charles Clifford.

Aldine Meserve gave a reading.

Winners of the mystery march were Anna Stover, Frances Allen and Clara Soucy.

John Marquis, general manager of Maine Emergency Response, spoke on and demonstrated Life Call a machine that hooks up to the telephone.

Remarks on C.W.A. work were given by Pamela Buckley.

Closing thought by Shirley Foster.

Next meeting will be March 1 at Paris Grange Hall preceded by a 6:30 supper. This will Pomona Past Masters night.

From Augusta

In 1987 the American people witnessed two events which clearly demonstrated the importance of the Congressional Committee process. The Iran-Contra Hearings and the confirmation hearings of Judge Robert Bork demonstrated to a nationwide audience that the bulk of legislative work is handled in committee.

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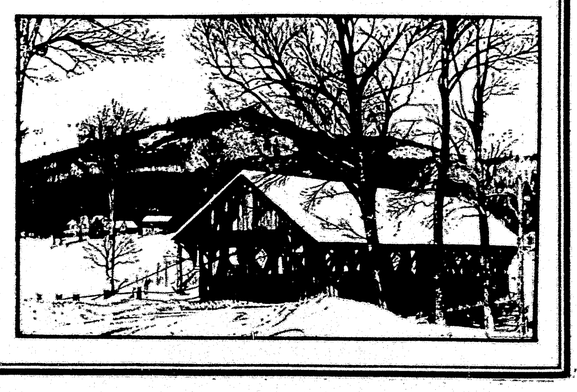

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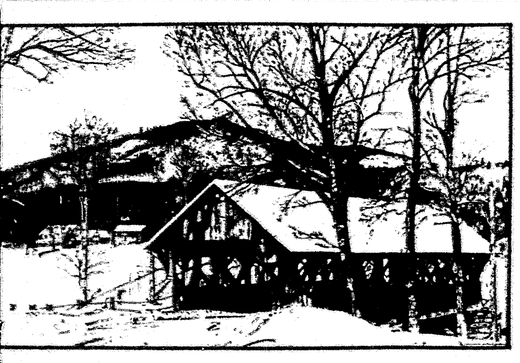

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Following a public hearing, the board voted unanimously to limit parking to just one side of Spring Street; also to prohibit parking along Rte. 2 in front of the Red Top Truck Stop. In the case of Spring Street, it was reported that the travelway is choked off when cars park on both sides of the street. School buses in particular are unable to pass. As for Rte. 2 in front of the Red Top, the sight distance is impaired for vehicles exiting the popular eatery when cars or trucks are parked on the side of the road.

In other action, the board decided to ask the Maine Department of Transportation to hold a public hearing in Bethel on whether improvements to the Rabbit Road railroad crossings are warranted in view of the increased traffic expected should Malcolm Swasey build his proposed 40-unit townhouse project off the Rabbit Road. Town Manager Rodney Lynch said he would expect the public hearing to be four to eight weeks from now.

The selectmen also voted to have the Civil Emergency Preparedness office at the fire station serve as a police office. It would be set up with its own phone so that the beefed-up police force would have its own space to work from.

The selectmen set June 15—a Wednesday—as the date for Town Meeting. Any proposed warrant articles must be to the selectmen by May 1.

The selectmen also passed a resolution commending the Fire Department for controlling the Main Street fire of two weeks ago, preventing it from spreading to adjacent structures.

Republicans

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home of County Commissioner Norman Ferguson Jr. All resident Republicans and independents are invited to attend. Coffee and donuts will be served.

Also caucusing on Sunday will be Republicans in Andover. Their caucus will be at the Congregational C.E.B, at 4 p.m.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

SAD #44—WEEK OF FEB. 29

Monday: Oven fried chicken, buttered rice, peas, cookies, bread & butter, milk.

Tuesday: Lasagna, green beans, juice, fruit, hot roll & butter, milk.

Wednesday: Salisbury patty and gravy (Telstar, choice of meat), mashed potatoes, corn, fruit, blueberry muffin & butter, milk.

Thursday: Barbecued meatballs on bun, fresh vegetables, cheese slice, fruit, milk.

Friday: Homemade vegetable beef soup, salad, frosted cake, mixed breads & butter, milk.

At Andover. . .

Elderwood Manor Items

by Florence Hall

Louise Elliott called on Dorothy Elliott.

Dorothy Emery, Hanover, and Kitty Fox, Bethel, visited Florence Hall Monday evening.

Bus riders Feb. 9 were Elizabeth Sennett, Dorothy Elliott and Catherine McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fox and children were supper guests of Anne Fox Sunday night.

Florence Hall, Gertrude Hutchins and Flora Whitten shopped at the Abbott Plaza on Tuesday.

Violet Swain called on several tenants at the Manor recently.

Florence Hall visited Arvilla Feener on Thursday.

Bus riders to Rumford on Wednesday, Feb. 17 were Catherine McGuire, Gertrude Hutchins, Elizabeth Sennett and Dorothy Elliott.

Dorothy Lang and two year old niece called on Florence Hall and Alma Hewey recently.

Gertrude Hutchins and Florence Hall were in Rumford on Monday.

Flora Whitten went shopping with Florence Hall in Bethel on Wednesday.

Gertrude Hutchins enjoyed ice cream and cake with a family group on her grandson Christian Hutchins' birthday February 17.

Anne Fox and Florence Hall took part with the reading group at the Andover library on Thursday.

Marion Ladd and granddaughter, Rumford Point, called on Dorothy Elliott.

Thought for the Day:

"Generous deeds would be repeated oftener if more gratitude had been shown for the first ones."

Calvary Congregational Church

Sunday School for all ages at 9:30 a.m. February 14, Meditation: Matthew 11:30 "My yoke is easy and my burden is light." Morning Hymn of Praise, "Isn't the Love of Jesus Wonderful." Rev. Donald Grover's message last Sunday: "The Greatness of Love" Eph. 3:17-19. Also shared was the reason why we have Valentine's Day.

Valentine was the name of a young man who lived in Rome during the days when Christians were being persecuted.

Although he was not a Christian, he helped them, but he was caught and put in prison. In prison he became a believer in Jesus. Because of this, he was clubbed to death on February 14, 269. While he was in prison (the story goes), he sent messages to his friends, *"Remember your Valentine"* and *"I Love You."* So on February 14 we celebrate love.

Valentine loved others. He helped them and eventually gave his life for them.

"Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." John 15:13

The choir sang "Born to Die" and during missionary moments a letter was shared from Margaret Pearson, daughter of former pastor, Rev. Nathaniel Pearson, who is in Kenya, Africa, teaching missionary children.

"The loneliest place in the world is the human heart when love is absent."

—E.C. McKenzie

THIS WEEK AT THE

Moses Mason House

All members and freinds of the Bethel Historical Society are reminded that the next monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, March 3, in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

As this meeting is "Collector's Night," anyone attending with a collection of anything relating to the past is urged to bring an example or two for display and discussion. Following this portion of the meeting, students and faculty from Gould Academy will be present to dicuss the new course "Writing History," which involved local history resources. Everyone is welcome.

The April monthly meeting of the Society will focus on the history of three Bethel streets: Elm, Winter and Summer. Anyone with information, photographs and/or anecdotes relating to these streets that he or she is willing to share, is urged to call the Society office, at 824-2908, or Geraldine Howe, at 824-3188.

Those interested in old houses should be aware of myths that are often repeated with little or no basis in fact. One of the most common misconceptions is that Christian cross doors were made to symbolize the owner's Christian faith. This is not the case since the cross was usually associated with Roman Catholicism. Americans in the 18th and 19th centuries were largely Protestant. The reason for paneled doors is that they accommodated seasonal swelling and contracting much more readily than solid doors did.

Another myth is that those with loyalist sympathies to the Crown before the American Revolution painted their chimneys white with a black band near the top. This practice was popular during the Colonial Revival period more than a century after the American War for Independence.

Also: H&L hinges do not have any religious significance. They do not represent "Holy Lord." Widow's walks were not often use by widows to look for their husbands at sea. They served maintenance purposes. And Indian shutters were not a protection against Indian tomahawks but against the cold and light.

NEWS FROM THE BETHEL AREA

Health Center

The Bethel Area Health Center will hold its annual awards dinner on Wednesday, March 16, at 6 p.m., at the Masonic Hall on Chapman Street. Dinner will be cooked by members of the Eastern Star and served by the members of the Youth Fellowship group of Bethel.

There will be four awards presented this year. The recipient of the President's Award is always kept secret and it will go to that person who in the judgment of the president deserves community recognition.

The Medical Award is awarded to that person who has donated volunteer hours in a medically professional capacity. This year the award will be received by Rose Sumner. Ms. Sumner has had roots in Bethel for many years. She was born and raised in Berlin, N.H., but spent many weekends and summer months in Bethel at Songo Pond. She is a 1967 graduate of Berlin High School and also a graduate of Houle's Beauty Academy, in Manchester, N.H.

Ms. Sumner moved to Bethel permanently in 1981 and married Al Sumner on June 18, 1983. She has two children by a previous marriage, Jason, 13, and Holly, 12. Since moving to this area, she has been most active in community affairs, such as Cub Scouts, as a Den Mother and assistant Cub Master.

As a member of the B.E.A.R.S., Ms. Sumner has completed a course for EMT's and is a volunteer on the rescue squad, a most demanding but rewarding task. She gives of her time and talents most generously and is richly deserving of the award.

The Janet E. Stowell Volunteer of the Year Award is given to that person, who in the judgment of the committee, is so deserving. This year, the recipient of this award will be John Brown. Mr. Brown has served this community for many years: as a member of the Board of Selectman for four years, a school board director for nearly 18 years, and also on the budget committee for three years. He is a 1947 graduate of Gould Academy and owned and was editor of the Bethel Citizen from 1963 to 1987. (The newspaper had been in the family since 1927. It was sold in 1984, but Mr. Brown is still a part-owner.) Mr. Brown is a great sports enthusiast, especially baseball, and in his younger years he played on area town teams.

The fourth award this year will go to Shirley Powell, who recently resigned as executive director of the center. Ms. Powell was a key person in the fund-raising and renovating of the old A&P for our new medical facility.

JACKSON-SILVER POST NEWS

A delicious oyster stew supper was served at the last meeting, last Thursday, Feb. 17. Members of the Mundt-Allen Post, of Bethel, were guests. Brian Strickland and Leroy Patten prepared the meal, with Mrs. Patten and Mrs. Allen Tollard helping in the kitchen.

A group of Boy Scouts of Troop #89 came to the area for their annual ski outing and stayed in the Legion Hall Feb. 12-14. They left the building in excellent condition and donated $40 to the Post.

The Post voted to give 50 percent of the last Bingo this month to the American Heart Association as a donation.

A new bingo schedule has been made up for the next year, very similar to the one of the past year.

A nominating committee was appointed to bring forth names for those to fill the various offices in the next year.

New member John Betts was welcomed to the Post. He lives in Greenwood. He has been transferred from the department headquarters in Waterville.

It was voted to extend an invitation to the hand bell ensemble of the West Parish Congregational Church to hold a bell-ringing demonstration at the meeting the third Thursday in April, April 20.

A moment of silent prayer was given in honor of the four chaplains who gave their lives in the South Pacific during World War II.

The following donations were made to the Post by the Auxiliary: $60 was given toward Project Graduation; $200 was given as a Post birthday present; $50 was given to help with the oyster stew supper; $200 was given to help on the building insurance, and $25 was donated to be given the Multiple Sclerosis Fund.

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Bethel Democrats Take Notice

Bethel Democratic Caucus

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Where: Telstar High School
Time: 3:00 P.M.
Purpose:
1. Election of local Democratic officers and ballot clerks.
2. Election of county committee members.
3. Selection of delegates and alternates to Democratic State Convention on basis of presidential preference.
4. Discussion of the state party platform and other pertinent matters.

All enrolled Bethel Democrats are urged to attend. A registrar will be on hand between 2:30 P.M. and caucus time for registration of new voters and to enroll independents who wish to become Democratic Party members.

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SOMETHING TO SMILE ABOUT—These local youngsters are delighted to be taking part in the Bethel Library's Celebration of Reading last Tuesday. A total of 50 local youngsters took part in the reading, face-painting, and general good time. *(Photo by Jeanne Boelsma)*

ELIZABETH HITCHCOCK reads from Garrison Keilor's latest book during last week's Celebration of Reading at the Bethel Library. Other libraries in the area held similar celebrations. *(Photo by Shirley Hodsdon)*

Bethel Library offers a 'Celebration of Reading'

Over 50 children and 20 adults took part in a "Celebration of Reading" at the Bethel Library last Tuesday.

The children's festivities included a film festival, face painting, refreshments and a reading marathon, in which each child read aloud for a few minutes.

Adults, meanwhile, were having their own reading marathon, as they passed Garrison Keilor's "Letters from Home" from reader to reader all afternoon.

The purpose of the celebration was to focus attention on the importance and joy of reading. Judging from the large circulation figures for the day, and the laughter and enthusiasm of the participating adults and chidren, the celebration was a real success.

West Bethel

By HARRIETT STOWELL

Miss Tracy Swick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Swick of the Flat Road, celebrated her tenth birthday on Sunday, Feb. 14 by inviting friends for a "sleepover" that night. The girls were Jessica Coolidge, Katy Mullen and Angela Levesque.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Korhonen of Concord, N.H., are the proud parents of Brian Douglas, born on Feb. 18 at the Concord Hospital and weighing in at 7 lbs, 13 oz. First time grandparents are Phil and Juanita Korhonen of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stowell and family of Jackman came last Friday to spend the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell.

Craig and Janis Boyd, Sam and Chelsea of Brewer were guests of his mother, Colleen Boyd, for several days last week and have enjoyed skiing at a local skiway.

Jonathan and Rowena Stowell and children of Shirley, Mass., spent from Thursday through Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert.

Visitors at Ann Mason's this past week were her grandsons, Peter Grant of Yarmouth and Michael Grant of Freeport and a granddaughter, Deborah Crouse of Freeport.

Rick Corliss and a friend spent the winter school break and holiday visiting with his family, Mary Jane and Warren Corliss, in West Bethel. He managed to get in some skiing at Sunday River. His two brothers, Nathan and Caleb, were happy to have him home. He returned to Gloucester, Mass., and school February 21.

Bethel

John Scott-Craig, of East Lansing, Mich., recently completed his Ph.D in Plant Genetics at Michigan State University. He is the brother of Cathy Newell of Bethel, and the son of Pat and Mary Scott-Craig of Hanover, N.H.

He and his wife, Pat Claire, are subscribers to the Bethel Citizen, and claim to "read every word" each week. The congratulatory limerick in last week's Citizen was placed in the paper to test this claim, as well as to send congratulations to John from his Bethel relatives.

John graduated from Yale in 1968, and served two years in Nepal with the Peace Corps, before working for the Boston Housing Authority for several years. He decided to pursue a career in science, and has been at MSU for about eight years. Pat is an attorney, and they are the parents of Thomas, age 5.

The Citizen is also read by other members of the laboratory staff in MSU's Plant Genetics department. They are reported to especially enjoy the neighborhood news columns, and closely follow some of the on-going local controversies long-distance.

On Feb. 10, Randall Chretien was named a visiting professor and teaching pastor on the faculty of Bangor Theological Seminary. Rev. Chretien is part of a pilot program at Bangor Seminary that places students in parish settings under the guidance of an experienced pastor to observe and learn.

Rev. Chretien is a 1965 graduate of Gould Academy, a 1969 graduate of the University of Maine and a 1983 graduate of Bangor Theological Seminary. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Chretien, of Bethel. He is currently pastor of the No. Brewer Eddington United Methodist Church, where he has been serving since 1982. He lives in Brewer with his wife Carolyn and sons Jeremy and Jeff.

Heather Hill, of Bethel, is part of the UMF touring company that is traveling throughout the state introducing live educational theater to elementary school children.

BUDDIES AND BOOKS BELONG TOGETHER—Cailin Kavanagh, Andy Dennis and Gabe Perkins check out some books at the Bethel Library's Celebration of Reading last week. *(Photo by Shirley Hodsdon)*

Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT

Sunday, Feb. 28, at 10:30 the Baptist Church will hold Awana Sunday to honor the young people and their parents. Clubbers will be participating in the service so parents can see what goes on in Awana Club.

Franklin Grange #124 met on Monday at the grange hall. Next meeting will be March 21. Please make apple muffins to be judged.

Woodstock Extension met at the home of Barbara Hathaway on Wednesday with a good attendance.

The Woodstock Senior Citizens will meet on Thursday, March 3, at the town hall for a potluck dinner. Please bring a hot dish, salad or dessert and your own place setting. Program is by Helen Reavis.

Beatrice Farnum has returned home from the Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Beth and Steve Hoover have been visiting her parents and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt and Beatrice Farnum.

Newry

By AMY HANSCOM

All registered Rpublicans of the town of Newry should be aware that the Republican town caucus is scheduled to be held at the Newry municipal building on Friday, Feb. 26, at 7:30 p.m. Please come and support your party.

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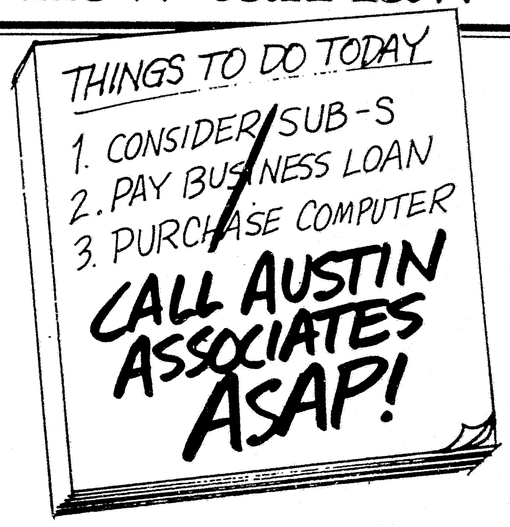

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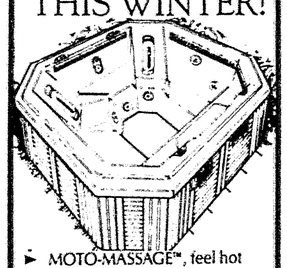
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They have had gallery exhibitions, most recently at the Bethel Library during the month of January.

Plans are underway for a new location for their shop, hopefully on Main Street, with a combined stained glass studio for Don.

Andover

East Andover

By MARJORIE JODREY

Mrs. Connie Belanger was the winner of $25 in week number nine of the Andover Telstar 20 week club.

Mrs. Rex Thurston, Mrs. Walter Jodrey, Joshua Messier, Danny Thurston and D.J. Parker were in Lewiston shopping on Saturday.

School vacation was the week of February 15.

Greeters at the First Congregational Church on Feb. 7 were Sharon Farrington and daughter. Deacon on call was Kathy Williamson. Choir director is Bonny Thibodeau. The Youth Group meets Sunday at 6 p.m. at the C.E.B and the Brownies meet there at 6:30 on Wednesday. Rev. Churchill was in Brunswick recently at a meeting of Christian Life and Work Committee

Freeman Farrington, Jim Nicoles and Marlin Thurston returned on Thursday after spending a few days at camp on Caribou Lake.

What a beautiful snowstorm on Feb. 12. School was out early for vacation, so they'll have to go to school longer in the summer

Mrs. Sue Wyman was the tenth winner in the Andover Telstar Seniors 20 week contest.

The food sale held at Mills Market on Feb. 13 was a great success. The proceeds will go toward helping a member of the Youth Group to attend the convention in Washington, D.C., in the spring. Betsey Fisher won the valentine cake. The committee would like to thank all who helped in any way to make it such a success.

A lot of the young folks have been enjoying the nice weather and skiing conditions at the local ski facilities. Its a good way to relax from all that studying.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. Ismay Mecham was guest of honor at a birthday party given by Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Hutchins, Marsha and Bret. A special cake was made by her granddaughter, Marsha Hutchins. Those present besides the hosts were Mrs. Agnes Porter, Mrs. Grace Simmons, Mrs. Edna Hilton, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hodskins.

Mrs. Edna Hilton of Kittery is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Agnes Porter, Mrs. Grace Simmons and Mrs. Ismay Mecham a few days this week.

Thomas Morton, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Morton, tied for third place in the junior high school meet held at Farmington on Feb. 13. There were over 40 taking part in the meet.

Andover Library News

In conjunction with the Literacy Task Force, Andover Public Library held their "Celebration of Reading" Thursday, Feb. 18.

A reading marathon was held for children and adults. Children read from 1:30 to 2 p.m. for five minutes each from a book of their choice. Those reading were Stephanie Hurd, Cassie Pitchford, Nathan Pitchford, Scott Connery and Wesley Richardson. Those listening were Rebecca Roberts, Heidi Pitchford, Torrey Pitchford. Librarian Carol Littlehale told them, "You have so much power. You can do anything you want to do in life, because you can read."

After the children's marathon, Anna Thurston showed two films *The Sorcerer's Apprentice* and *The Stonecutter*. We all looked quite attractive after we had our faces painted by Sharon Hutchins.

The adult reading marathon took place from 2 until 4 p.m.. *My Neck of the Woods* by Louise Dickinson Rich was selected to be read. Those adults reading were Anne Fox, Harvey McGuire, Betsy Fisher, Alys Parsons, Ellen Greeke, Roberta Learned, Joe Madigan, Violet Swain, Evelyn Bell, Anne Bishop and Florence Hall. Mrs. Marjorie McGuire, president of the board of trustees, introduced each person before they read.

Refreshments were served and everyone agreed this was a worthwhile project and had a good time.

Results of the Bill Koch League ski meet held Feb. 14 at Akers ski shop:

Lollypop I: 1.Dawn Kirby, 1:34; 2.Ben Pelton, 2:48; 3.Hillary Easter, 5:06; 4.Shannon Fyrberg, 6:33; 5.Jill Fyrberg, 9:08.

Lollypop II: 1.Jesse Morill, 1:55; 2.Ellen Grimmes, 2:25; 3.Greg Easter, 2:42; 4.Ben Sanks, 3:31; 5.Jennifer Fyrberg, 4:35.

Class 5 Girls: 1.Kate Fish, Bartlett, N.H., 14:00; 2.Liza Fyrberg, Andover, 15:19; 3.Jesse Morill, Kingfield, 18:39; 4.Stephanie Hurd, Andover, 20:56.

Class 5 Boys: 1.Devon Morill, Kingfield, 12:30; 2.Peter Broomhall, Conway, 13:00; 3.Todd Woods, Rumford, 13:06; 4.Peter Hughs, Cornwell, 15:41; 5.Sam Trafton, Auburn, 17:12; 6.Ryan Pelton, 19:03; 7.Craig Kirby, Rumford, 20:43; 8.Justin Easter, Farmington, 20:50; 9.Forest Fyrberg, Andover, 21:19.

Class 4 Girls: 1. Becky Collins, Kenebunk, 17:58; 2.Leah Yates, Wilton, 18:27; 3.Cheryl Hamilton, Auburn, 20:36; 4.Jessica Trundy, Rumford, 23:11.

Class 4 Boys: 1.Alexej Siren, Bridgton, 14:45; 2.Tim Remington, Bethel, 17:02; 3.Ben Trafton, Auburn, 17:04; 4.Jesse Haeger, Wilton, 17:09; 5.Mike Hamill, Bridgton, 17:52; 6.Kris Grimnes, Brunswick, 20:27; 7.Eric Grimnes, Brunswick, 21:36; 8.Ned Wonson, Brunswick, 24:46.

Class 3 Girls: 1.Lisa Collins, Kennebunk, 26:30; 2.Jacklyn Greene, Brunswick, 28:20; 3.Sarah Haeger, Wilton, 29:42.

Class 3 Boys: 1.Patrick Coter, Farmington, 21:37; 2.David Chamberlain, Farmington, 23:15; 3.Tom Morton, Andover, 23:48; 4.Dan Fish, Bartlett, 26:26; 5.Tory Kendrick, Mt. Washington, 26:56; 6.Steven Remington, Bethel, 27:53.

Upton

By ARLINE BERNIER

It was exciting to get a taste of the political scene when candidate Pat Robertson came to Errol Restaurant as part of his northern New Hampshire tour. The television cameramen arrived first and some other of the entourage. Mr. Robertson was a very soft-spoken, alert and friendly, down-to-earth person who seemed totally unaffected by the constant barrage of lights snapped in his face. What a price these folks pay for being in the limelight!

The snow storm pleased Anita Edwards as she got snowed-in in Upton. For us it could have chosen a different day as we'd planned an extensive trip to visit relatives.

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Thursday, March 3: Baked beans-fiber, all-beef hot dog, garden salad or pickled beets, brown bread-fiber, fresh fruit.

East Stoneham

By GLADYS KILGORE

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gouin of Norway visited her mother, Helen Grover, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Taylor of South Paris visited Mrs. Sarah Grover Sunday.

Miss Shirley Grant was a visitor of her brother and wife over the weekend.

Mrs. Eloise Vail was out Monday night collecting for the heart fund.

The young people are enjoying a week of vacation. Also the carnival that is held there this week sponsored by the community.

Mrs. Sharon McAllister is working in the store this week as Mrs. Nancy Barker is on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Strout who have been in Florida for the past few months have returned to their home here. They now own the Dick Jones place.

The All Parish Ash Wednesday service met here Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Geneva Tripp goes to Poland often to help her husband's mother, who is ill.

Correction: Peter Lombard is not staying with his sister but is in the nursing home at South Paris.

SQUARE DANCE FEB. 27

Mollockett Mixers Square Dance Club will hold a mainstream plus square dance on Saturday, Feb. 27, 8-11 p.m., at the Rumford Jr./Sr. High School. Terry Campbell calling, Sally Lennox cueing the rounds. The "Square Dance Shop on Wheels" will be there for your shopping convenience.

MELISSA AMES ON DEAN'S LIST

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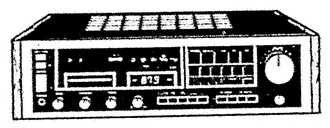
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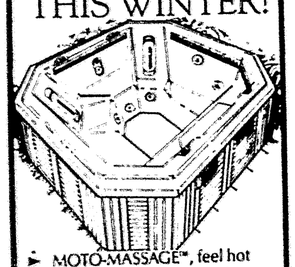
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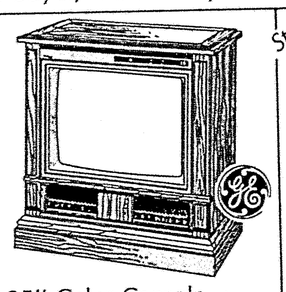
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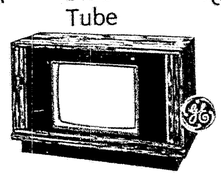
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THURSDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 25, 1988

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Algerian War		Wildlife	Shark	Tomorrow	No Guts	Wild Canada		Portraits	Tr. Islands
(5)	Remington Steele		Hell Town		700 Club		Str. Talk	Outdoors	Remington Steele	
6	Family Ties	Cheers	Cosby	Diff. World	Cheers	Night Court	L.A. Law		News	Tonight
8	Newlywed	Dating	XV Winter Olympics						News	Olympics
10	MacNeil/Lehrer		West of the Imagination		Great Performances		Dolphins		Special Op. Exec.	
(11)	MacGruder & Loud		Cagney & Lacey		Movie: "Sketches of a Strangler"				Cagney & Lacey	
(12)	Be a Star	Fandango	Nashville Now			Amer.'s Music		Videocntry	Be a Star	Nashville
13	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Tour of Duty		Simon & Simon		Knots Landing		News	Night Heat
(16C)	Cheers	INN News	Hill Street Blues		Movie: "The Sword and the Sorcerer"				INN News	H'mooner
(18E)	Movie: "That's Life"				Crazy About the Movies		Movie: "Hardbodies"			19 & Ready
(20G)	Bruins		NHL Hockey: Hartford Whalers at Boston Bruins					Fishing	Sportfishing	Hockey
(21H)	College Basketball: Syracuse at Providence				College Basketball: Virginia at Georgia Tech				SportsCtr	Basketball
(22I)	A. Griffith	Sanford	Movie: "High Plains Drifter"				Movie: "The Law and Jake Wade"			
(24K)	Can't/TV	Dbl. Dare	Mk. Room	Mister Ed	My 3 Sons	D. Reed	Laugh In	Car 54	Monkees	Susie
(26M)	Airwolf		Riptide		College Basketball: Tulsa at Bradley				Airwolf	
(27N)	Travel Mag.	Survival	All Creatures		The Hasty Heart					
(29P)	Quicksilver		Movie: "P.K. and the Kid"		Movie: "The Kindred"			Do the Guilty Go Free		Improv
(31R)	C Bears II		Mouseterpi.	Walt Disney Presents	Movie: "All the Brothers Were Valiant"				Ozzie	Prairie
(32S)	Pyramid		B. Miller	Magazine	Entertain.	Morton Downey Jr.		News	NBA Basketball: Knicks at Clippers	
(34U)	Cheers		B. Miller	Movie: "The Octagon"				News	INN News	Soap	Magnum

FRIDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 26, 1988

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Madigan Line		Horse in Sport		The Sea	Spice/Life	Hands	Himalayas	H. Butler	Wildlife
(5)	Remington Steele		Paper Chase		700 Club		Str. Talk	Women	Remington Steele	
6	Family Ties	Cheers	Friday Night Surprise		Miami Vice		Sonny Spoon		News	Tonight
8	Star Search		XV Winter Olympics						News	Olympics
10	MacNeil/Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Mamewatch		Mystery!		Fr sh Fields	Served
(11)	MacGruder & Loud		Cagney & Lacey		Movie: "Courage"					
(12)	Be a Star	Fandango	Nashville Now			New Ctry.	Crook	Videocntry	Be a Star	Nashville
13	Town Meeting		Beauty and the Beast		Dallas		Falcon Crest		News	Top Pops
(16C)	Cheers	INN News	Hill Street Blues		Movie: "The Neverending Story"				INN News	H'mooner
(18E)	Back to School Cont'd		Movie: "SpaceCamp"				Movie: "Club Paradise"			Stripper
(20G)	College Hockey: Maine at New Hampshire					Sp. Quest	Golf: Tucker Anthony		Candlepin Bowling	
(21H)	SportsCtr	SpeedWeek	Off-Road Race		Track and Field: USA/Mobil Championships					SportsCtr
(22I)	A. Griffith	Sanford	NBA Basketball: Atlanta Hawks at Indiana Pacers					3 Stooges	Power Play Dancin	
(24K)	Can't/TV	Dbl. Dare	Mk. Room	Mister Ed	My 3 Sons	D. Reed	Laugh In	Car 54	Monkees	Susie
(26M)	Airwolf		Otherworld		Movie: "A Boy and His Dog"				Night Flight	
(27N)	Creativity	Survival	Movie: "Hotel Du Lac"			Preview	Shortstories		Evening at the Improv	
(29P)	"The Guns of Navarone"		Movie: "Mannequin"			Movie: "My Chauffeur"				Stripes
(31R)	Movie: "The Barefoot Executive"				Booker		Who Am I This Time?		Ozzie	S. Holmes
(32S)	Pyramid		B. Miller	Magazine	Entertain.	Morton Downey Jr.		News		NBA Basketball
(34U)	Cheers		B. Miller	Movie: "The Enforcer"				News	INN News	Soap	Magnum

SATURDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 27, 1988

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	23 Days in July		AC Clarke	Barriers	Futurescan		World Alive	Antarctic S	Wildlife	Shark
(5)	Monroes	Campbells	Movie: "The Miracle"				Paper Chase		Ankerberg	Zola Levitt
6	Star Trek		Facts Life	227	Gol. Girls	Amen	J.J. Starbuck		News	Sat. Night
8	XV Winter Olympics						XV Olympics Continues		News	Olympics
10	DeGrassi	Maine	WonderWorks				Doctor Who			
(11)	Goliath Awaits Cont'd		Movie: "Goliath Awaits"		Cagney & Lacey		Hollywood	Previews	Lady Blue	
(12)	Kitchen	Wk./Music	Backstage	Grand Opry	Tommy Hunter		Kitchen	Countryclips		Wk./Music
13	Fortune	Jeopardy!	High Mountain Rangers		Houston Knights		West 57th		News	Lifestyles
(16C)	Cheers	Darkside	Movie: "Urban Cowboy"					INN News	Movie: "The In-Laws	
(18E)	Crazy About the Movies		Movie: "Light of Day"				Movie: "The Annihilators"			Jack Flash
(20G)	College Hockey: Boston College at Boston University					College Basketball: St. John's at Boston College				Basketball
(21H)	College Basketball: Vanderbilt at Notre Dame				College Basketball: Jacksville at W. Ky.				SportsCtr	Basketball
(22I)	Championship Wrestling		Movie: "The Man Who Loved Cat Dancing"					Night Tracks		
(24K)	Gadget	Duckula	Laugh In	Mk. Room	My 3 Sons	D. Reed	Mister Ed	Car 54	Movies	Monkees
(26M)	New Mike Hammer		Movie: "It Lives Again"				Hitchcock	Bradbury	Andy Warhol's Dracula	
(27N)	Survival	Vic. at Sea	World War I	Vietnam	Living Dangerously		Pulaski: The TV		Special Screening	
(29P)	Girls Have Fun		Movie: "The Morning After"				Dennis Miller		Movie: "A Fine Mess"	
(31R)	Movie: "The Brave Little Toaster"		Preview	Movie: "Smoky"				Susan	"Hollywood Cavalcade"	
(32S)	It's a Living	Mama	Movie: "Somebody Up There Likes Me"				News	Dr. Edell	Benny Hill	Benny Hill
(34U)	It's a Living	Mama	Movie: "Cahill, U.S. Marshal"				News	INN News	H.'s Heroes	FBI Story

SUNDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 28, 1988

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Lindisfarne	Lindisfarne	Indonesia	China	Inside China: Revolution		Russia: Live From the Inside			
(5)	Crossbow	Animals	Paper Chase		In Touch		Ben Haden	Rock Alive		Ed Young
6	Our House		Family Ties	Two Dads	"Perry Mason: The Case of the Avenging Ace"				News	Sports
8	XV Winter Olympics						XV Winter Olympics Continue			NCTV Hour
10	Upstairs, Downstairs		Nature		Masterpiece Theatre		Gottschalk Portrait		Butterflies	Bix Lives
(11)	AMA Video Clinic		Physicians		Cardiology	Medicine	Obstetrics	Medicine	Orthopaed	Medicine
(12)	American Sports Cavalcade			Racing	Wish Here	Fisherman	Bassmastr.	Horse	Motoworld	Heroes
13	60 Minutes		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Bluegrass"					Comedy
(16C)	"Body Heat" Cont'd		Star Trek: Next Gener.		Rich & Famous		Perry Mason		INN News	H'mooner
(18E)	Movie: "The Odd Couple"				Movie: "The Mission"				Movie: "Stripped to Kill"	
(20G)	Golf: Tucker Anthony		Red Sox Baseball Replay: A's at Red Sox				WWF Wrestling		Fishing	Outdoors
(21H)	College Baseball: Texas at Miami						Baseball: Old Timers		SportsCenter	
(22I)	Movie: "The Time Machine"				National Geographic Explorer				Page	J. Falwell
(24K)	Gadget	Duckula	Laugh In	Mk. Room	My 3 Sons	D. Reed	Mister Ed	Car 54	Smothers	Monkees
(26M)	Riptide		New Mike Hammer		Cover Story	Hollywood	Robert Klein Time		Financial Freedom	
(27N)	All Creatures		Police	Minister	Movie: "Tom Sawyer"				Variety	Blackadd.
(29P)	Movie: "The Outlaw Josey Wales" Cont'd				Movie: "Rocky IV"			Movie: "Stewardess School"		
(31R)	Movie: "Top Hat"				Adv. of Sherlock Holmes		Prairie Home Companion			Aftr Show
(32S)	Movie: "Rollerball" Cont'd				Benny Hill		News	Sports	Entertainment This Week	
(34U)	Movie: "Hello, Dolly!" Cont'd				Star Search		News	INN News	Darkside	Lou Grant

MONDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 29, 1988

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	World Alive	Al Oeming	Perspective	Compete	Animals	Orphans	Kingdoms	Victorian	Heart of the Dragon	
(5)	Remington Steele		Father Murphy		700 Club		Str. Talk	TBA	Remington Steele	
6	Family Ties	Cheers	ALF	Day By Day	Movie: "Police Academy II: Their First Assignment"				News	Carson
8	Newlywed	Dating	MacGyver		Movie: "Perfect People"				News	Nightline
10	MacNeil/Lehrer		Television		Exit 13	Kid Wise	Gordon Parks		Eyes on Prize	
(11)	MacGruder & Loud		Cagney & Lacey		Movie: "The Other Lover"				Cagney & Lacey	
(12)	Be a Star	Fandango	Nashville Now			New Ctry.	Crook	Videocntry	Be a Star	Nashville
13	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Superman		Movie: "Bluegrass"				News	Hunter
(16C)	Cheers	INN News	Hill Street Blues		Movie: "Mass Appeal"				INN News	H'mooner
(18E)	"Light of Day" Cont'd		Movie: "Stand By Me"			Movie: "Out of Bounds"			Movie: "Instant Justice"	
(20G)	Golf: Tucker Anthony		Major Indoor Lacrosse: Washington at New Jersey				College Basketball: St. John's at Connecticut			
(21H)	SportsCtr.	College Basketball: Providence at Georgetown				College Basketball: Illinois at Indiana				SportsCtr.
(22I)	A. Griffith	Sanford	Movie: "Demon Seed"				Movie: "...All the Marbles"			
(24K)	Can't/TV	Dbl. Dare	Mk. Room	Mister Ed	My 3 Sons	D. Reed	Laugh In	Car 54	Monkees	Susie
(26M)	Airwolf		Riptide		WWF Prime Time Wrestling				Airwolf	
(27N)	Adventure	Survival	Africa		Movie: "To Race the Wind"				Evening at the Improv	
(29P)	Beniker	Fraggle	Movie: "Baja Oklahoma"				Movie: "Dead of Winter"			
(31R)	"House of Dies Drear"		Wilderness Bound		Movie: "An American in Paris"				Ozzie	Main
(32S)	Pyramid	B. Miller	Magazine	Entertain.	Morton Downey Jr.		News		Simon & Simon	
(34U)	Cheers	B. Miller	Movie: "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid"				News	INN News	Soap	Magnum

TUESDAY EVENING MARCH 1, 1988

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Something to Celebrate		Nature	Animal	Alpine Ballooning		Animals	Noah's Ark	Algerian War	
(5)	Remington Steele		Crossbow	Frontier	700 Club		Str. Talk	Chefs	Remington Steele	
6	Family Ties	Cheers	Matlock		Hunter		Crime Story		News	Carson
8	Smithsonian Treasures		Boss	Gro. Pains	Moonlighting		thirtysomething		News	Nightline
10	MacNeil/Lehrer		Nova		Frontline		Voices & Visions		McLaughlin	1 on 1
(11)	MacGruder & Loud		Cagney & Lacey		The Sound of Murder				Cagney & Lacey	
(12)	Be a Star	Fandango	Nashville Now			New Ctry.	Crook	Videocntry	Be a Star	Nashville
13	Fortune	Jeopardy!	48 Hours		Miss USA Pageant				News	Diamonds
(16C)	Cheers	INN News	Hill Street Blues		Movie: "King Solomon's Mines"				INN News	H'mooner
(18E)	"Fiddler on the Roof"		Movie: "Convoy"				Movie: "Raising Arizona"			Comedy
(20G)	Hockey	Big East	College Basketball: Villanova at Syracuse				AHL Hockey: Springfield Indians at Maine Mariners			
(21H)	SportsCtr.	NHL Hockey: New Jersey Devils at Washington Capitals						Tractor Pull	Sports	SportsCtr.
(22I)	A. Griffith	Sanford	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Milwaukee Bucks					Movie: "Death Wish"		
(24K)	Can't/TV	Dbl. Dare	Mk. Room	Mister Ed	My 3 Sons	D. Reed	Laugh In	Car 54	Monkees	Susie
(26M)	Airwolf		College Basketball: DePaul at Dayton				Riptide		Airwolf	
(27N)	Travel Mag.	Survival	Roosevelt Story		Movie: "The Voyage"				Good/Cafe	When
(29P)	"Back to the Future"		Movie: "Project X"				Movie: "Absence of Malice"			
(31R)	Condorman	Mice	Palmerstown, U.S.A.		Movie: "My Favorite Wife"			Album	Ozzie	Mission
(32S)	Pyramid	B. Miller	Magazine	Entertain.	Morton Downey Jr.		News		Simon & Simon	
(34U)	Cheers	B. Miller	Movie: "Bonnie and Clyde"				News	INN News	Soap	Magnum

WEDNESDAY EVENING MARCH 2, 1988

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Heart of the Dragon		High Tech	Questors	Wine	Cinema	Crocodiles		Indonesia	China
(5)	Remington Steele		Honeymoon	Animals	700 Club		Str. Talk	Snapshots	Remington Steele	
6	Family Ties	Cheers	Highway to Heaven		Movie: "Places in the Heart"				News	
8	Newlywed	Dating	Gro. Pains	Head Cl.	Hooperman	S. Maxwell	Dynasty		News	Nightline
10	MacNeil/Lehrer		Metropolitan Opera Presents						Castle	Manor Born
(11)	MacGruder & Loud		Cagney & Lacey		Movie: "Wait Till Your Mother Gets Home"				Cagney & Lacey	
(12)	Be a Star	Fandango	Nashville Now			New Ctry.	Crook	Videocntry	Be a Star	Nashville
13	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Grammy Awards						News	Adderly
(16C)	Cheers	INN News	Hill Street Blues		Movie: "The Last American Virgin"				INN News	H'mooner
(18E)	"The Professionals"		Movie: "Wanted Dead or Alive"				Movie: "Lethal Weapon"			
(20G)	Sp. Quest	Eagles '88	College Basketball: Georgia at Kentucky				College Basketball: Alabama at Tennessee			
(21H)	College Basketball: Seton Hall at Pittsburgh				College Basketball: North Carolina at Georgia Tech				Sports	SportsCtr.
(22I)	A. Griffith	Sanford	Movie: "Death Wish II"				Movie: "Young Warriors"			
(24K)	Can't/TV	Dbl. Dare	Mk. Room	Mister Ed	My 3 Sons	D. Reed	Laugh In	Car 54	Monkees	Susie
(26M)	Airwolf		Riptide		Movie: "The Boy in the Plastic Bubble"				Airwolf	
(27N)	Creativity	Survival	Vic. at Sea	Churchill	Living Dangerously		Bill Moyers		Evening at the Improv	
(29P)	"Once Bitten" Cont'd		"Nightmare on Elm Street 3: Dream Warriors"				Hitchhiker	Movie: "The Morning After"		
(31R)	Strongest Man in World		Edisons	Danger Bay	Movie: "So Dear to My Heart"			Susan	Ozzie	Odyssey
(32S)	Pyramid	B. Miller	Magazine	Entertain.	Morton Downey Jr.		News		Simon & Simon	
(34U)	Cheers	B. Miller	Movie: "King Solomon's Mines"				News	INN News	Soap	Magnum

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Gould winter carnival was a snowy success

Students and faculty at Gould Academy in Bethel, aided by 15 inches of new snow, completed a very successful winter carnival Feb. 14-16.

Competing in a total of 13 interesting and widely varying events, the young men of Holden Hall ran up an impressive point total to capture the carnival trophy. In second place were the combination of day students and two small dormitories, Brown House and Zallen House, with Gehring Hall and Davidson Hall finishing in third and fourth places respectively.

The events included a scavenger hunt, snow sculptures, dual slalom, an obstacle race, tug-o-war, toboggan runs, cross-country skiing relays, "dogsled" races—using people as the "dogs", an amoeba race (where a large group attempted to move and act as one over a race course) and air bands (where students imitated well-known musical groups in pantomime to the music played in stereo). Over 250 students, faculty and staff at Gould were involved in the three-day carnival.

Gould's carnival began Saturday evening with the traditional crowning of the Carnival King and Queen by Headmaster William P. Clough III. (See photos in last week's Citizen.) Seniors John Chasse, Damariscotta, and Amanda Jylkka, Rockport, Mass., were duly installed as reigning monarchs. They then lit the bonfire constructed of trees and logs to officially open the Carnival games and the night cross-country ski relay.

The Carnival theme was "South of the Border" and reflected Gould's commitment to its Costa Rican exchange program. Three Costa Rican students and one faculty member are spending three weeks at Gould and were on hand to participate in the Carnival. For them it was a real adventure as none of the four had ever seen snow before.

Carnival events continued all day Sunday and Monday, including a theme dinner in the school's dining hall featuring the cooking and entrees of South and Central America.

Winter carnivals have always been held at Gould Academy ever since winter sports became popular back in the 1930s and this year's version was judged to be one of the best. The efforts of the senior class and their adviser, Dr. Marvin Ouwinga, who organized and ran the Carnival, certainly paid off.

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SUZI ROY ON DEAN'S LIST

Suzi Roy, of Locke Mills, has been named to the Dean's List at Trinity College of Vermont, in Burlington, Vt., for the 1987 fall semester.

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Gould winter carnival was a snowy success

Students and faculty at Gould Academy in Bethel, aided by 15 inches of new snow, completed a very successful winter carnival Feb. 14-16.

Competing in a total of 13 interesting and widely varying events, the young men of Holden Hall ran up an impressive point total to capture the carnival trophy. In second place were the combination of day students and two small dormitories, Brown House and Zallen House, with Gehring Hall and Davidson Hall finishing in third and fourth places respectively.

The events included a scavenger hunt, snow sculptures, dual slalom, an obstacle race, tug-o-war, toboggan runs, cross-country skiing relays, "dogsled" races—using people as the "dogs", an amoeba race (where a large group attempted to move and act as one over a race course) and air bands (where students imitated well-known musical groups in pantomime to the music played in stereo). Over 250 students, faculty and staff at Gould were involved in the three-day carnival.

Gould's carnival began Saturday evening with the traditional crowning of the Carnival King and Queen by Headmaster William P. Clough III. (See photos in last week's Citizen.) Seniors John Chasse, Damariscotta, and Amanda Jylkka, Rockport, Mass., were duly installed as reigning monarchs. They then lit the bonfire constructed of trees and logs to officially open the Carnival games and the night cross-country ski relay.

The Carnival theme was "South of the Border" and reflected Gould's commitment to its Costa Rican exchange program. Three Costa Rican students and one faculty member are spending three weeks at Gould and were on hand to participate in the Carnival. For them it was a real adventure as none of the four had ever seen snow before.

Carnival events continued all day Sunday and Monday, including a theme dinner in the school's dining hall featuring the cooking and entrees of South and Central America.

Winter carnivals have always been held at Gould Academy ever since winter sports became popular back in the 1930s and this year's version was judged to be one of the best. The efforts of the senior class and their adviser, Dr. Marvin Ouwinga, who organized and ran the Carnival, certainly paid off.

GOULD ACADEMY STUDENTS Martha Newell, Sara Kailey, Amy Ford and Lisa Todd prepare to launch their toboggan during Gould's winter carnival.

SUZI ROY ON DEAN'S LIST

Suzi Roy, of Locke Mills, has been named to the Dean's List at Trinity College of Vermont, in Burlington, Vt., for the 1987 fall semester.

Songo Pond

By ALICE KIMBALL

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Awalt of Augusta were visitors of her mother, Mrs. Elmira Doyen, Sunday night and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Gatchell of Auburn were Sunday visitors of her parents, the Dave Salways.

The Albany Improvement Association held their monthly meeting Monday night with the David Salways.

Norma Salway drove me to Portland Tuesday for my medical check-up.

Mrs. Judy Halle and daughter Stephanie of Lisbon Falls spent Sunday night with her parents, Bill and Phyllis Bancroft. They also visited with Mrs. Grace Morrill in West Bethel.

Mrs. Evelyn Kimball and Mrs. Gladys Grenier visited Mrs. Lillian Kimball in South Paris Thursday afternoon and Pat Grenier at Ledgeview Nursing Home.

Mrs. Winona Verrill of South Paris visited Mrs. Elmira Doyen Wednesday afternoon.

Bill and Phyllis Bancroft were in Lewiston Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Norma Salway and I went to Rumford Thursday afternoon to visit with the Mark Lescaults. We found Dianne much improved from her last setback.

Mrs. Irene Hutchinson of South Paris and Diane Bancroft were callers here Friday afternoon.

Brandon Salway and Shawn Smith went to the Maine Maritime Academy Friday afternoon for a team soccer game before returning to their studies at U.S.M. Saturday.

Robert Anderson has been quite ill with pneumonia this week.

When you bury the hatchet, don't mark the grave.—Guideposts

LOCKE MILLS CHURCH HOLDS WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

World Day or Prayer began 101 years ago in the United States as a day of prayer for mission. It has now expanded until today is is celebrated as a common day of prayer by thousands of Christians in 170 countries and regions of the world.

The theme of this year's World Day of Prayer is "Open Doors". The program was written by both Protestant and Roman Catholic women from Brazil.

The Locke Mills Union Church invites you to be part of the worldwide circle of prayer by attending the service Friday, March 4, at 2 p.m. Refreshments and a time of fellowship follows the service.

So. Woodstock

By OLIVE R. DAVIS

How pleased I was to see my relatives and friends on my natal day this week. There were seven callers: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Goldsmith and two children Sharon cares for during the day; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews, Richard Felt, Bertha Benoit, Esther Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks were here in the afternoon. They all brought me gifts and we served ice cream and bars for the party. I had about 39 cards and a card shower from Franklin Grange members. I thank all for their thoughtfulness of me. May the Lord bless.

The heavy snowstorm came to us on Friday and it sure was a humdinger. Roger Benson kept us broken out well. The snow is so high I can't see out the kitchen windows.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks and I took in the historical society held at the new school building at Bryant Pond Saturday night. There was an exchange of homemade valentines after they were judged for the best one. Lettie Brooks had first prize.

Mrs. Kay Billings was at her doctor Monday for a check-up on her eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks and Olive Davis attended Franklin Grange Monday night.

Franklin Grange

Franklin Grange met Monday night after missing the January meeting. We are having one meeting a month. This month was bad, but 17 braved the weather and we had scrambled officers night. Rededication to the Grange was performed by six members with a candlelight service. Then a patriotic program of questions on Maine was asked by the lecturer. These were answered hit or miss. A valentine drawing was held and each read what the valentine said.

There have been two members who left us this month: Elizabeth Russ and Margureittea Spinney passed away at Ledgeview Nursing Home. The charter was draped for them.

The next meeting will be March 21, an agriculture meeting with the committee of Richard Felt, Carl Brooks and Harris Hathaway in charge of the program. Swapping seeds is the feature of the night. Don't forget to bring a package of seeds for swap.

BIRTHS

Thomas and Suzanne Howe, of Bethel, are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Jason Scott Howe, born on Feb. 11, at 3:15 a.m., at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lbs. 5 ozs.

Maternal grandparents are Clarence and Joan Howe, of Bethel. Paternal grandparents are Rodney and Jeannette Kimball, of West Bethel.

Born to Stephen and Rosalie Cross, of Bethel, a son, Michael Jason, in Norway, Feb. 18, 9 lbs. 8 ozs. Grandparents are Norton and Fhyllis Cross, and Philip and Ruby Coolidge.

FILM AT GOSPEL CENTER

The film "A Father, A Son and A Three Mile Run" will be shown at the Bethel Gospel Center, Rte. 26, this Sunday, Feb. 28, at 6 p.m.

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North Paris

By EVELINE B. VATCHER

Linda Cummings, South Paris, is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Earle Cordwell and another lady comes for the weekend. It is hard to secure help now days in all walks of life.

Saturday, Feb. 6 was a hard day with temps at 30 degrees below zero. Many cars and trucks were dead, including Joe Vatcher's truck. He put the charger but still it didn't want to start. On examination it needed a new starter. Always something

We wonder if our friends who went to warmer climates sneaked their long-johns into their suitcase and maybe an electric blanket.

Mrs. Sarah Schnittke, the allergy doctor's wife, went to St. Petersburg, Fla., January 1 and she was very glad to miss our deep freeze weather and all the fluffy white stuff.

On Sunday there was a family gathering at the home of Fred and Beryl Oja with three sisters and their husbands and a brother and his wife. Beryl invited Sue and Warren Abbott, Lila and Irwin Ellingwood, Iocal; Ina and Rupert Grover, Bethel; so there was a happy time around the dinner table with Beryl's excellent cooking to make it complete.

Callers at Lawrences: Richard Felt, Mary Lovejoy, Bertha Benoit, Stevie Millett, Joe Vatcher and Jimbo Coffin.

Mr and Mrs. Joe Vatcher were at Lewiston Friday on business.

Robert Anderson Sr., Burlington, Mass., came to his trailer at Bridgton, Monday and he called on his brother-in-law, Joe Vatcher and Eveline, and went snowmobiling all by himself (Joe had sold his cat). Tuesday they went smelting at Dresden and got a fair catch.

Forrest and Rosine Stowell called on Marie and Earl Cordwell after church Sunday at the North Paris Federated Church and found them in a cheerful mood after all they had been through two weeks before. Marie had x-rays this week and we trust that all is healing well.

Recently the members of North Paris Federated Church received a letter from their former pastor, Cliff Vincent, who has just gone to Brazil as a missionary. He writes that he loves the area where he is living and the temperature is about a high 80 each day during the dry season. His only complaint is that he is having to learn the Portugese language and it is a difficult one but he knows that the Lord will help him with this problem. He reports that food is high in cost as well as electricity because the government controls prices. He sounds as though he will be happy in his new home.

I hope Fred Judkins' apple pie lessons are going well. Maybe he'll gain back the ten pounds.

A nice snowstorm is breaking the monotony.

Miss Angela Eastman of West Paris and Albert Gaudreau Jr. of Bethel were married at the North Paris Community Hall February 13. Merton Brown of Bethel officiated. Brenda Dobbs, her sister, was maid of honor and the best man was Alfred Leighton, an uncle of the groom. Sally Smith made the wedding cake. The reception was held at the same place, immediately following the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Perkins are spending a few days with their daughter and family in Connecticut.

The congregation at the North Paris Federated Church on Sunday was privileged to hear Rachel Littlehale sing a solo, accompanied by her mother. Rachel has a delightfully sweet voice and is always willing to share her talent. Pastor Jonathan Haslett is using members of the congregation to take part in services. Last Sunday Evelyn Chamberlain gave the call to worship, Rosine Stowell had the responsive reading and Forrest Stowell had worship in giving. John Callina gave the message at evening worship. In the absence of the Perkins, the Tuesday night Bible study, led by John Callina, was held at Charlotte Littlehale's home. Fred Oja does an excellent job of plowing out the church yard after each storm and the last one was a big, big one.

Our worst storm of the winter on Feb. 12 left from 14-16 inches of white fluffy snow that was blown about by a heavy wind-a real howling blizzard. We have enough for now.

Marie Cordwell was taken to the hospital Saturday as her shoulder was out of place or joint. She came home the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson Sr., son David and his friend, Elaine Scarfo, daughter Karen and husband Allen Bondeson, Chelmsford, Mass., visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher Sunday.

Miss Gail Oja who teaches the third grade in Wilmington, Mass., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oja, for the weekend, returning to her home on Monday morning. She brought her black cat with her and Sunday, no cat! They searched all over and she offered a $25 reward if the cat was found outside. At the end of eight hours the cat came out from its hiding place. It wasn't under the bed, but between the bed and mattress. Maybe it got hungry.

Mrs. Sandra Spencer and three children went to her mother's at Tyngsboro, Mass., Sunday and returned Wednesday. She had income tax forms made out and the children to the doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher went to Berlin, N.H., Monday. Stores and businesses were all open.

Recent callers at Lawrences have been Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Heath and Joe Vatcher.

There will be a chemical free dance at the West Paris Grange Hall on March 5 at 8 p.m. Prizes and home made pies for refreshments.

NORTH POND, IN WOODSTOCK, looks chilly, but serene, on a bright winter morning. (Photo by Jeanne Boelsma)

MILLS SPONSORS BILL TO SHIFT TURNPIKE FUNDS

State Rep. Jeff Mills (D-Bethel) is sponsoring a bill to re-allocate funds from the Maine Turnpike Authority for construction and maintenance of other primary state roads.

Mr. Mills said he hopes the legislation, if passed, will improve funding for Routes 4 and 26, which are vital to communities in his district.

Since he considers the proposed gasoline tax hike an uncertain method of obtaining funding for inland corridors, Mr. Mills feels it is important that the state be able to divert funds from the turnpike. This would be especially important if the proposed widening of the turnpike—with the proposed increase of turnpike fees—is not approved.

Mr. Mills' bill is scheduled to be heard by the Transportation Committee this week. Co-sponsors are Sen. Ed Erwin (D-Rumford) and Sen. Don Twitchell (D-Norway).

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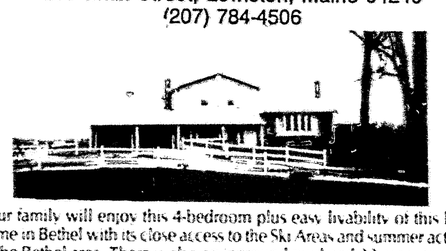

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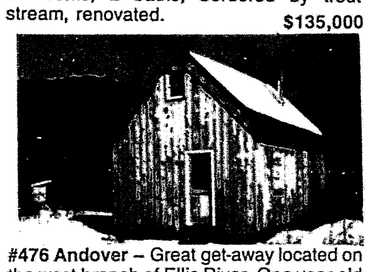

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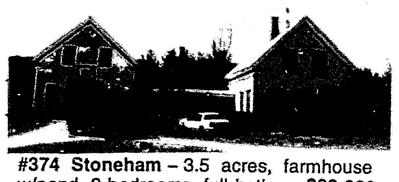

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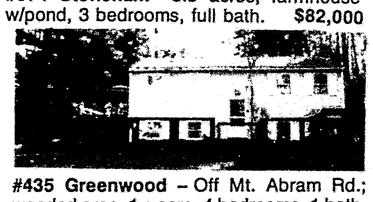

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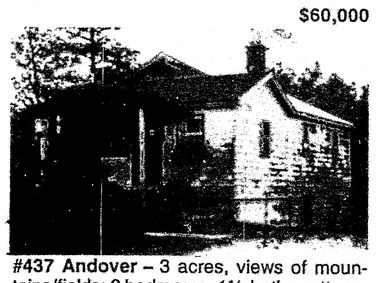

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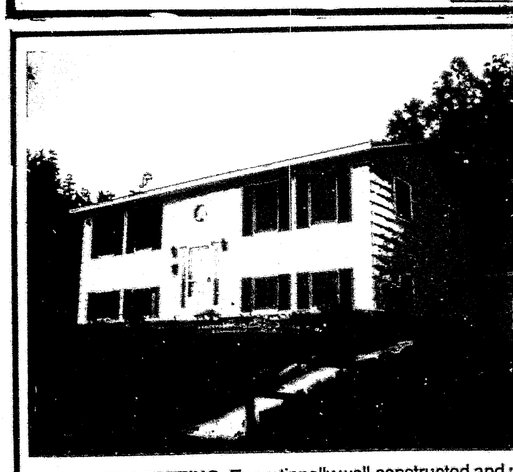

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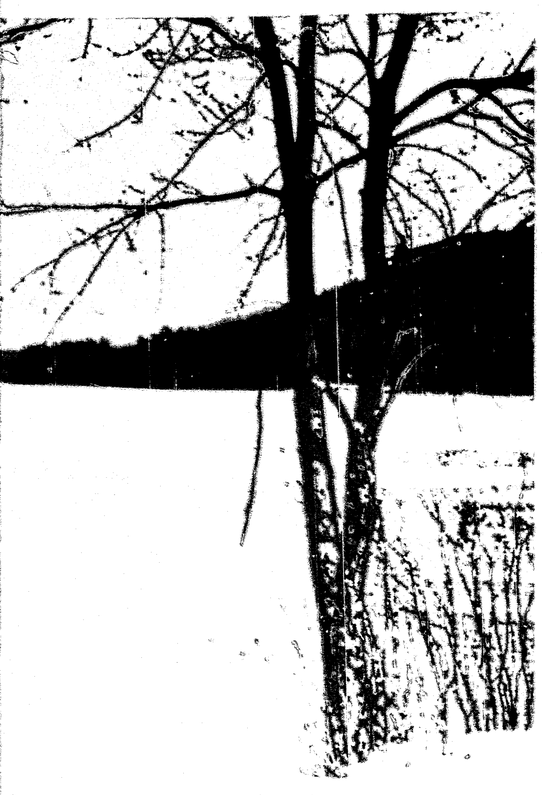

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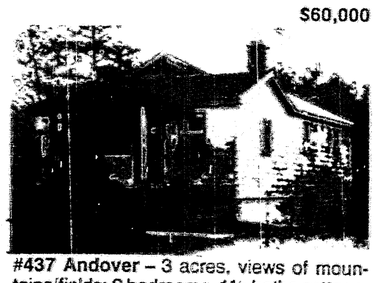

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Thinking of the wind doesn't bring pleasure to me. It's a familiar sight in winter as little rivers of snow blow over the yard and down the pond. Sometimes it's clearing the air after a storm.

I don't appreciate the extra chill it gives to my house. It's an evil critter just out on the loose. I remember having to face it when walking to school or on my way home at night. It made the mile seem longer. Too bad we can't control its bad personality and call it when it's needed to change stagnant air. But it isn't our choice. The wind is what makes the winter cold. I could do without it, at least in the amount which comes each winter season.

What does the woods worker know about wind? Plenty! When he is cutting hardwood, the wind means more effort, more trouble, and more danger. Why? Because a wind-blown hardwood tree can split nearly the whole of its length and just when the cutter is trying to get it to the ground.

It isn't fair not to mention some of the good it does. It can clean the air of chemicals and pollutants that are around us. It helps to "winterkill" some of the worthless plants, so helps spring growth. Winds pack snow thus enabling some animals to survive the coming of more snow. They may thus find new feed, as they walk on top of the snow.

Each new season has a different kind of wind. So curse the wind! Bless the wind! Understand the wind, even though it can be a real nuisance!

While I write this I'm watching the squirrels and all the icicles have dropped from the eves. It feels like April but for how long?

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Inman of West Paris spent the long weekend here at their camp, "Maplewood." There was a terrible wind but they were cozy and warm.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Pulsifer entertained at their usual February outing. The young group had much fun riding snowmobiles.

Albert Curtis and son, Buckfield, and friends Barney Ames and son of Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Cogswell and Troy of Freeport were at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curtis over the weekend.

Fay Holt entertained the Tuesday Club at her home on February 9.

There were several visitors at Sufawisp, the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Betts, over the weekend.

Robert Holt and daughter, Jenny, were at Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt's on Sunday. Dolly Verrill of South Paris and Ann Holt of Bethel were also callers. Robert called on me and shoveled the snow from my roof.

I had several lovely valentines and several gifts on the 14th. Nice to have friends.

THE BETHEL INN'S recreation center is nearing completion. The pool is expected to be swimmable sometime in March, while the entire facility is expected to be completed in April. Photo by Jeanne Boelsma

'Schooner Fare' concert rescheduled for May 19

The "Schooner Fare" concert that was originally scheduled by the Mahoosuc Arts Council for Feb. 12 was postponed due to the winter storm.

The folk group will perform in the Bingham Auditorium May 19, at 7 p.m. The Arts Council has announced that tickets already purchased for the cancelled concert may be used on May 19. If ticket holders cannot make it to the May 19 concert they may turn their tickets in for refund at Prim's Pharmacy, until March 1.

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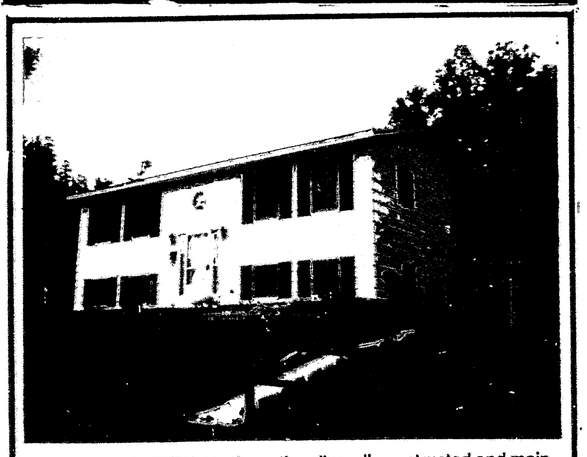

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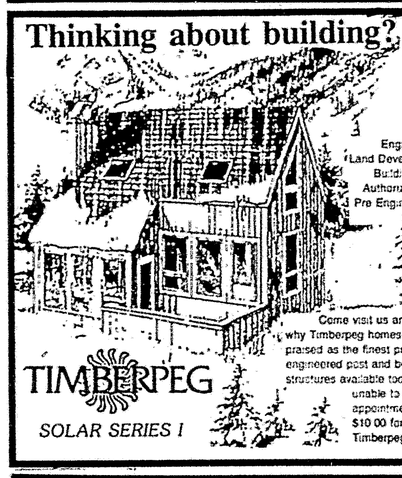

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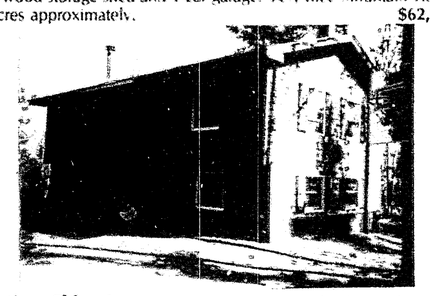

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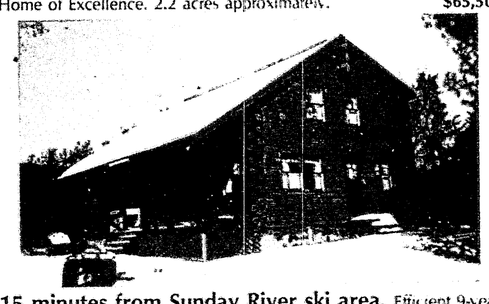

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West Paris

By MIRIAM INMAN

The West Paris Senior Citizens met at the American Legion Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 2. A potluck dinner was enjoyed with the tables decorated for Valentine's Day. Get well cards were sent to sick members and valentines were signed for people at Chapel Valley and at Ledgeview Nursing Home. It was voted to give $50 toward sending a girl to Girl's State. Milton Inman showed slides of West Paris bridges, roads, residences and people. The next meeting will be on March 1 with a potluck dinner preceding. Sarah Otterson from Community Concepts, Inc. will speak on services available in this area.

Ivan Proctor, Jr. returned home on Tuesday from Stephens Memorial Hospital after having surgery last Friday. He is gaining nicely.

Newton Lamb is home, having recently been a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Forward Fellowship met at the church on Monday, Feb. 22. A potluck supper preceded the meeting and a silent auction was held after.

Mr. and Mrs. Sayward Lamb have been entertaining their grandchildren Mandy and Nathan Morse of Oakland; Mandy from Sunday to Thursday and Nathan from Thursday until Saturday. They all enjoyed the Ice Capades in Portland Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. James Lamb, Christina and Kelsey of Oxford and Carol Lamb of Poland joined them.

Benjamin Merrill, Waterford, has been spending several days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Proctor and Uncle Jr., who is getting "cabin fever" after his recent surgery.

I just spoke with Mrs. Donna Melville of Woodland who is at her folks after returning on Wednesday night from a week's vacation she and sister Dorene Merrill, Waterford, spent in Florida. While there they enjoyed Disney World and Epcot Center and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palmer, Jr., former residents of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. William Aridas, Riverhead, L.I., New York, arrived in the bad traveling on Friday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Inman. They returned on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Inman and boys spent Sunday night and Monday with his parents, also. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanborn, North Conway, N.H., were here on Sunday. We all joined the annual "hot dog cook-in" hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Max Pulsifer on Hicks Pond in Greenwood on Sunday where 65 or so were in attendance. Also attending from town were Mr. and Mrs. Vance Bacon, Ken Bacon, Christy Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perham, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Inman and family. A personal shower was held after dinner for Vicky Sanborn, at which time she received many useful items.

Attending the Annual Dedication Day supper and service at the Auburn Universalist Church on Wednesday evening were Esther Davis, Louvie Coffin, Lettie Brooks, Martha Day, Virginia Hyam, Joyce Lamb, Mary Emery, Lena Dean, Eleanor and Miriam Inman.

On Saturday, February 27, at 10 a.m. there will be a food sale at the bank building to benefit the Universalist Church. All donations of food will be gratefully accepted.

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THOUGHTS FROM THE

Pastor's Study

The Bethel Area Clergy Association, with the help of pastors of surrounding churches, brings you these meditations. Not based on any set theme, they will be individual for each pastor. It is hoped you will find in these words, comfort and help for your daily life.

We pastors who preach every Sunday rarely get the chance to hear sermons ourselves. Instead we rely upon other sources through which God speaks: the Holy Scriptures, our religious traditions, our gifts of rational or spiritual discernment and, of course, inspiration from the Holy Spirit.

But I think I have hit upon another source of sermon material, less lofty, but nonetheless real: the family refrigerator! This marvelous instrument, originally designed to preserve our food, has become the repository of some of the great wisdom of the ages. Small magnetic devices have been crafted which hold various sayings, cards, reminders and childrens' pictures from school tightly to the refrigerator door.

Recently, while calling upon a young mother, I offered to get the milk for tea since she was changing the baby. "It's in the fridge," she said. By the time I had read through the nuggets of wisdom and wit that were affixed to the refrigerator door, I had almost forgotten what it was I wanted from the inside!

This piece I found to be particularly useful as a call to repentence during this Lenten season. Think about it and, if you will, cut it out and attach it to your own refrigerator door:

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Rev. David W. Helms
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The Maine Highway Safety Commission reports that 14 people died on Maine's roads in January. This figure reflects an increase of one over the five-year average for the month (13).

Six of the deaths, or 43 percent, were alcohol-involved. although this is below the five-year average for alcohol involvement (52.3 percent), it is still a major concern. "People have to realize that alcohol in any amount can cause driver impairment," said Al Godfrey, co-Chairman of the Maine Highway Safety Commission. "Alcohol impairs judgment and slows reaction time, thus increasing your chances of being involved in an accident."

The Maine Highway Safety Commission monthly report went on to point out that three of the victims were pedestrians and that all the accidents occured on rural roads. Four people reportedly were wearing seat belts.

MISS SEAMES TO WED IN MAY

The engagement of Suzanne L. Seames, daughter of Raymond A. & Louise Seames of Locke Mills, Maine, to Sam Pylypczuk, son of Richard & Phyllis Avery, of Moultonboro, N.H., is being announced by the bride-to-be's parents.

Suzanne is a 1980 graduate of Telstar Regional High School and attended New Hampshire Vocational Technical College in Berlin, N.H. She is employed at W. E. Aubuchon Co., Inc., in Moultonboro, N.H.

Sam attended Kingswood High School in Wolfeboro, N.H. He is self-employed in Moultonboro.

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Wednesday at 7 p.m., Bible study.

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Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
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Locke Mills Union Church
Richard Melville & Leland Dunham
Co-Head Trustees
Mrs. Richard Melville
Organist and Choir Director
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10:30 a.m., Sunday School (October-May).
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m., TOPS.
Second Wednesdays, Trustees, 7:30 p.m.
Third Wednesdays, Ladies' Circle 1:30 p.m.
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m., Choir practice at the home of Beverly Melville.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church
Flat Road, West Bethel
836-2828
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a.m. Ages 3 to adult.
Morning worship, 10 a.m. Babysitting for children through age 5.
Wednesday:
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Linwood Hanson, Pastor
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Thursday Awana Clubs: K-Gr. 2, 2:30-4:00; Gr. 3-12, 6:00-8:00.

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Third Sunday of each month: 5:30 p.m. supper and service at 6:30.

First Congregational Church United Church of Christ
Andover
Rev. E. Marriotte Churchill
Phone: Church 392-4678; Parsonage 392-3061
Organist, Linda B. Dyer
Choir Director, Bonnie Thibodeau
Sunday School Superintendents, Sharon Farrington and Marjorie S. Bartlett
Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship Service.
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Sunday: 6 p.m. Youth Group.
Wednesday: 7 p.m. Bible Study at C.E.B.
Thursday: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study at C.E.B.
Thursday: 7 p.m. Adult Choir practice.
Ladies Aid, every other Tuesday, noon, C.E.B.

Calvary Congregational Church
Route 5, Andover, Maine
Donald Grover, Pastor
Mrs. Edna White, Pianist
Helen Grover, Choir Director
Marjorie Stinson
Sunday School Superintendent
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.
Evening Service, 7 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer and Praise, 7:30 at the church.
Choir Rehearsal, 6:30.

Albany Congregational Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Phone: 583-4688
Regular services, Sunday, 11 a.m. (Starting June 7 through Sept. 27.)

Rumford Area Bible Speaks
Pastor Bob Colby
Route 232, Rumford Corner
369-9373
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10 a.m. Sunday School.
10 a.m. Worship Service.
6 p.m. Evening Service.
Tuesday: 10 a.m. Women's Bible Study at Pastor Knight's home.
Wednesday: 6 p.m. Fellowship supper at the church; 7 p.m. Evening Service.
Friday: 7 p.m. Video Bible Institute classes at church.

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church
David W. Helms, Pastor
Family Worship, 10:00 a.m.
Church School, 10:00 a.m.

South Waterford United Methodist Church
David W. Helms, Pastor
Family Worship, 9:30 a.m.

Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church
Perkins Valley Road, South Woodstock
Pastor Earl Meola
Phone: 674-3801 (home), 674-3232 (church)
Saturday:
Sabbath School, 9:20 a.m.
Worship Service, 11 a.m.
Tuesday:
Prayer Circle, 1 p.m. (please call in any prayer requests you may have)
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Wednesday:
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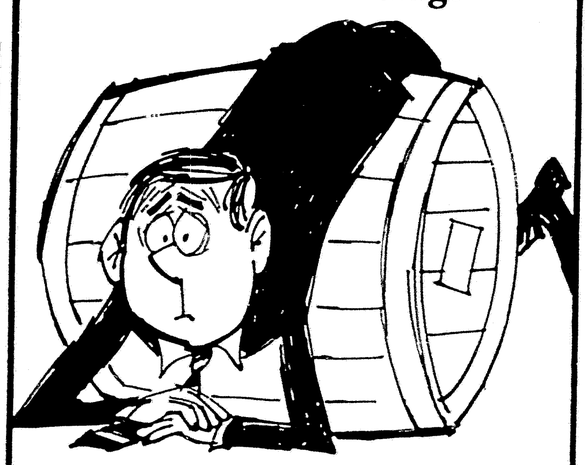

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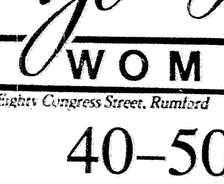

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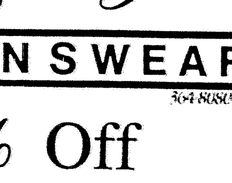

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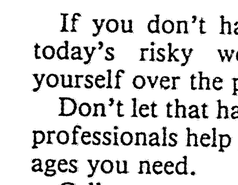

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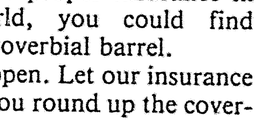

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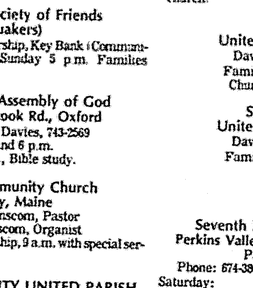

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Rev. Carter West, Interim Pastor

East Stoneham Congregational Church
9 a.m. Worship Service

North Waterford Congregational Church
10:30 a.m. Worship Service

West Bethel Union Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Phone: Church 836-2925; Home 583-4686
Parish Day Wednesday
Mrs. Nesta Littlefield, Organist
Mrs. Rodney Kimball, Custodian
Morning worship and Church School, 9:15 a.m.
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Richard Melville & Leland Dunham
Co-Head Trustees
Mrs. Richard Melville
Organist and Choir Director
Sunday: 9:00 a.m., Worship.
10:30 a.m., Sunday School (October-May)
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m., TOPS.
Second Wednesdays, Trustees, 7:30 p.m.
Third Wednesdays, Ladies' Circle 1:30 p.m.
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m., Choir practice at the home of Beverly Melville.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church
Flat Road, West Bethel
836-2828

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a.m. Ages 3 to adult.
Morning worship, 10 a.m. Babysitting for children through age 5.
Wednesday
Choir practice, 6 p.m.
Prayer & Bible Study, 7 p.m.
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Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Linwood Hanson, Pastor

Sunday
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
6:00 p.m. Evening Service
Wednesday: 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting.
Thursday Awana Clubs: K-Gr. 2, 2:30-4:00; Gr. 3-12, 6:00-8:00

West Paris Baptist Church
Jonathan Haslett, Pastor
Tel. 674-2920

Sunday
9:00 a.m. Worship service
10:15 a.m. Sunday School (nursery care for pre-schoolers during worship)
First Wednesday of each month: Trustees/Deacons, 7:00 p.m.
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First Congregational Church United Church of Christ
Andover
Rev. E. Marriotte Churchill
Phone: Church 392-4678; Parsonage 392-3081
Organist, Linda B. Dyer
Choir Director, Bonnie Thibodeau
Sunday School Superintendents,
Sharon Farrington and Marjorie S. Bartlett

Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship Service.
Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday School.
Sunday: 6 p.m. Youth Group.
Wednesday: 7 p.m. Bible Study at C.E.B.
Thursday: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study at C.E.B.
Thursday: 7 p.m. Adult Choir practice.
Ladies Aid, every other Tuesday, noon, C.E.B.

Calvary Congregational Church
Route 5, Andover, Maine
Donald Grover, Pastor
Mrs. Edna White, Pianist
Helen Grover, Choir Director
Marjorie Stinson
Sunday School Superintendent

Sunday
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
Evening Service, 7 p.m.
Wednesday
Prayer and Praise, 7:30 at the church.
Choir Rehearsal, 6:30.

Albany Congregational Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Phone 583-4686
Regular services, Sunday, 11 a.m. (Starting June 7 through Sept. 27.)

Rumford Area Bible Speaks
Pastor Bob Colby
Route 232, Rumford Corner
369-9373

Sunday:
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Worship Service, 11 a.m.
Tuesday
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Wednesday:
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By VIVA WHITMAN

Clouds are breaking up so hope it will be sunnier than they are predicting this morning. It is nice to have the mild weather and I'm sure everyone enjoys it as much as I do. I have one problem though, there is more humidity in the air and it is making my fibrositis act up a lot and that isn't as good but not much I can do about it. Exercises help the muscles stretch out but doesn't help the pain as dry weather does. That's life!

What a storm we had last Friday! Russell and I stayed inside and watched the snowflakes come down, and did they ever come down. Wind blew a gale as it did elsewhere and we surely had our share of snow and wind. Russell said it made him tired just to think of what he would have to do on Saturday to clean out the yard. However, we survived the ordeal as did others. Peggy had the misfortune to put her back out of place when she got out of bed Saturday morning so got an appointment with the chiropractor to have it fixed. As long as she was going, I got an appointment and went along. I keep telling the doctors that they need spikes and a hammer to keep mine in place but haven't gotten any of them to try it as yet. Sometimes I wish they would, it doesn't seem as though it could hurt any worse. Anyway, Peggy didn't go dancing as her back wouldn't let her. She did a real job of putting it out of place this time.

Sunday, we had company for dinner. Wynona, Michael and girls came to have dinner with us and visit awhile. I haven't made a graham cracker pie in years but made one Sunday and couldn't see but what it came out as good as ever. It sure didn't last long. Even the girls liked it and had their share.

Monday, Peggy was at the chiropractors again and he had her go walking to help her back. She went shopping to have a chance to walk in the stores on good floor. Walking is good for one's back as well as exercise for the whole body. I get out for a walk when I can.

While walking the other day, I couldn't help but notice the dry leaves still clinging to trees out through the woods along the roadside. There was quite a breeze and the leaves were rattling as well as the wind making a mournful sound as it blew through the trees. Seems as though it makes a different noise this time of year than at other times. It is sure refreshing to get out into the air and clear the lungs. Not too much traffic during the day on High Street so take advantage of it. Weekends, there is lots of traffic so don't get out as much then. I couldn't walk quite a mile the last two times I have gone but do all I can. My legs tell me when it is time to turn back toward home. It is about a half a mile to the turn that goes to Holden's so walk there if possible and then back home. That way I know I have walked a mile.

None of us got to Grange on Monday night. Peggy's back still was bothering and as it was rainy and we didn't know if it would get cold enough to freeze the wet on the roads, Russell and I stayed home. I can't see to drive too well after dark anyway so decided it would be safer if we stayed home.

Tuesday was my day for going to North Bridgton and Viola, my daughter-in-law, drove me over. We went in her truck and I found it hard to get in and out of the truck but it would have been harder without the crate to step up onto to get into the truck. My legs are just too short to climb in and out of places that are high. Guess I got hit on top of my head too much when I was growing up and didn't grow as tall as the others in the family. I am the shorty as was Mother.

Decided to go to town Tuesday afternoon and get some things on sale. Also need a pair of shoes so went to see about them but found them so high in price that I had to put some on lay-away and get them when I get some more money. It is terrible the price of shoes and clothing! I am sure glad I can sew and make most of my clothes or I wouldn't have any. Cloth is high enough in price but less costly than buying most of the clothes all made and a lot better made when done by oneself.

Didn't do too much yesterday only knit and crochet and embroider. That keeps my hands busy and whiles away the time. Did get out for a walk after lunch which was good and Russell and I played cards in the evening to help us keep awake till bedtime. He goes to sleep easier than I do so if we play games or something, it helps him keep awake till it is time for bed. It helps make the evening more interesting, also.

Hilda Taylor and daughter Chrissy Tripp called in on Tuesday evening. Hilda was doing her Avon and I had ordered something. She is sure a busy lady with her work at Kentucky Fried Chicken and Avon. We are always glad to see her when she calls and it was good to see Chrissy also.

Well, the sun has come out of hiding and it looks now as though it might be a good day. I hope so as I am going to take a chance and hang out some clothes. It is only about freezing at this time but hopefully it will warm up and be a nice day. Can't hurt to hope anyway.

Michael Wilson

GOULD SKIER ON STATE TEAM

Michael Wilson, son of Mr. Richard E. Wilson, Plymouth, Minn., and Mrs. Rachel L. Wilson, also from Plymouth, has been named to the eight-man Maine Eastern Ski Team. He is a junior at Gould Academy.

As a member of the team, Mike will ski in the Eastern Junior Olympics in March. This competition will see 100 racers from the northeast compete for 24 spots on the Junior Olympics Team.

In addition to his outstanding accomplishments in the Junior I Eastern Ski Association races, he ranks number one on the Gould "A" team, number one in Maine Independent School (M.A.I.S.A.D.) competition and number one in Lakes Region races (independent schools in Maine and New Hampshire). Mike also ski jumps for Gould and has skied cross-country, thus making him an all-around "skimeister". Mike hopes to ski for a division I college or university after he completes his third year of studies at Gould Academy next year.

I am enjoying the time without snowstorms and hope others are, also. Take care and have a good week.

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JOSEPH E. ARSENAULT

Joseph E. Arsenault, 83, died Saturday, Feb. 20, 1988, at Market Square Health Facility, in South Paris, where he had been a resident for many years.

He was born in Tignish, Prince Edward Island, Canada, July 23, 1904, the son of Charles and Marianne (Perry) Arsenault. He attended schools in P.E.I.

He married the former Joyce Arlene Senette on April 23, 1938, in Rumford. He was an Army veteran and a communicant of St. Catherine's Church, in Norway. He was a self-employed barber in the South Paris area for over 30 years.

He is survived by his wife, of South Paris; a son, Harold, of Lewiston; a daughter, Mrs. Wilbur (Dianne) Cox, of Farmington; three sisters, Mrs. Bridget Merchant, of Rumford, Mrs. Tessie Blaisdell, of Bryant Pond, and Mrs. Clara Menard, of Tewkesbury, Mass.; 13 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. He was pre-deceased by one son, Clifford, who died in 1984.

Funeral services were held at St. Catherine's Church, Norway, on Tuesday. Interment will be in the spring at Woodlawn Cemetery, in Andover.

ANNIE L. NUTTING

Annie L. Nutting, 86, died last Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1988, at a local hospital, following a brief illness.

She was born at Albany, April 20, 1901, the daughter of Isaac and Frances Brown Wardwell. She married Harold T. Nutting on June 10, 1930; he died March 19, 1963. Mrs. Nutting was a homemaker.

Survivors include a son, Russell W. Nutting of Limerick; a daughter, Mrs. Jean Smith of Welchville; a grandson whom she raised from an early age, Richard Bennett, of Albany; 14 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday from the Greenleaf Funeral Home, in Bethel. Donations in her memory may be made to the Hunt's Corner Cemetery Association, c/o Madelyn Brooks, Bethel, 04217.

Notes from the

Woodstock Historical Society

Here is an interesting description—

"The coast of Maine with its granite ledges, twisted spruces, crying sea birds and pounding surfs has something tough and grand and knife-edged about it. Great storms sweep in about it. The ocean turns in an instant from dull gray to deep blue, fountains of leaping spray shatter the sudden sunlight into all the colors of the prism, and tremendous rainbows, brilliant and perfect, arch from horizon to horizon." Louise Dickinson Rich

Betty Lord recently brought us some paper items donated by the Bethel Historical Society.

The next Society meeting will feature David Worcester and his dulcimers.

Community Calendar

Wednesday, Feb. 24: Cross-Country Quilters meeting, Bethel Library, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 25: Exercise class for senior citizens, sponsored by Bethel Area Health Center, at the Bethel House, 4-5:30 p.m.

Slide show and presentation on the Surrey Opera Company trip to Russia, Telstar, 7:30 p.m.

"Shedding Light on Shakespeare," Gould Academy's Bingham Auditorium, 7:30 p.m., free admission.

Friday, Feb. 26: Newry Republican caucus, municipal building, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 27: Mollockett Mixers dance, Rumford Jr./Sr. High School, 8-11 p.m.

Lincoln Day Dinner, with Congresswoman Olympia Snowe as guest speaker, Bethel Inn Conference Center,

Food Sale, to benefit the West Paris Universalist Church, 10 a.m., Oxford Bank, West Paris.

Sunday, Feb. 28: Democrat and Republican town caucuses; check stories on page 1 for times and places.

Monday, Feb. 29: P.L.A.N. organizational meeting, Telstar, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, March 1: Oxford Pomona Grange meeting and supper, Paris Grange Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, March 2: Purity Chapter #102 O.E.S., annual meeting and potluck supper, 6:30 p.m.

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Andover Library Hours: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1:30-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841. Story hour each Tuesday afternoon, from 3 to 4 (pre-school to Grade 2).

Bethel Library Hours: Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday, 10-11 a.m. Pre-school story hour, 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Betsy Raymond, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Friday, 1-5 p.m.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill, Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 10-4; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9. Telephone: 743-2980.

REACH — Sexual Abuse Helpline, 743-9777. Serving victims of sexual abuse—past or present. 24 hour service in Oxford County.

AA Meetings at Bethel Fire Station: Sunday-6-7:30 p.m., Big Book: Tuesday-7-8:30 p.m., Women's Discussion; Friday-8-9 p.m., Step 12×12.

First Wednesday of Each Month: Purity Chapter #102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.

First Wednesday of Each Month: Sons of American Legion, 7:30 p.m., Jackson-Silver Post #68, American Legion, Locke Mills.

Every Thursday: Game Party at Mundt-Allen Post #81, Vernon Street, Bethel, 6:30 p.m.

First Thursday of Each Month: Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday of Each Month: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at the Casco Bank, 7:30 a.m.

Second Thursday of Each Month: Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.

Third Thursday of Each Month: Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club, Club Room, Newry. 6:30 p.m., potluck; 7:30 p.m., meeting.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post #68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6:30 p.m.

Third Friday of Each Month: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Second Saturday of Each Month: Woodstock Historical Society, 7 p.m., Woodstock Historical Society Museum.

First Monday of Each Month: Newry Community Church Ladies' Circle, 7:30 p.m.

Second Monday of Each Month: Newry Mothers' Club meets at Swan Club Room, 7:30 p.m.

Second Tuesday of Each Month: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at Martha's Restaurant, 7:30 a.m.

First and Third Tuesday of Each Month: Bethel Lions Club meets at the Bethel Lions Den, Main St. Social hour—6:30-7 p.m.; Dinner at 7 p.m. and meeting follows.

First and Third Monday of Each Month: Bethel Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

First and Third Tuesday of Each Month: Woodstock Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Every Tuesday: Andover Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 6 p.m.

Every Tuesday: Greenwood Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Every Tuesday: Newry Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

Every Wednesday: Gilead Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Monday of Each Month: SAD #44 Board of Directors, in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover.

First Wednesday of Each Month: Woodstock Planning Board meets at the Town Office.

First and Third Wednesday of Each Month: Bethel Planning Board meets at Telstar Regional High School, 7 p.m.

CPS 5th-GRADERS held a walk-a-thon last week as a fund-raiser for an upcoming trip to Sturbridge Village, in Massachusetts. The students walked 50 laps in the Gould field house—a distance of about 41½ miles. They raised $758, which was over their goal. The trip is planned for April 27-28. Those taking part were: front row, left to right, Jake Bartholomew, Kristen Landry, Jeremy Smith, Lisa Haines, Amy Howe; middle row, Petrine Nielsen, Naomi Fox, Adam Chamberlain, Mike Rackliffe, Nancy Morgan, Aaron Paul, Amy Howe; back row, Patrick Moore, Laurie Seames, Adrienne Vail, Jill Olson, Nick Chapman, Joel Riley and Peter Howard. *(Photo by Jeanne Beckman)*

Newry needs new C.E.P. director

The Newry selectmen are looking for someone to serve as Civil Emergency Preparedness Director. Mary Tripp, who was appointed to replace Lee Swan, has announced she will be unable to perform these duties after Town Meeting (March 7). Anyone interested in serving in that position is asked to contact the town office or one of the selectmen.

The selectmen also learned at their meeting this week that the Maine Forestry Department is willing to make an indefinite loan to the town of a one-ton Jeep pick-up truck. The loan will free up $9,000 the town had budgeted for a truck during phase one of its plan for creating a town fire department.

In Memoriam

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